

Truman Backs Up Acheson

Rumors Concerning Removal of Secretary Of State Are Without Foundation

KEY WEST, Fla., March 20—(P)—President Truman backed up Secretary of State Acheson 100 per cent today and let it be known that any rumors he might be replaced are "completely without foundation."

Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross told reporters that rumors have reached the President that the visit here of Chief Justice Vinson may have some connection with a change in the office of secretary of state.

Speaking for the President, Ross said:

"Those rumors are completely without foundation. No change in the head of the state department is contemplated. All rumors to the contrary are complete fabrications. The President has complete confidence in the secretary of state and believes he is running the department admirably."

Considering "Limited Access"

Meanwhile, White House sources disclosed that Mr. Truman is seriously considering allowing "limited access" to loyalty files of persons accused by Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) before a senate foreign relations sub-committee.

Such access, if granted—and it seems likely—would be limited to inspection, by members of the committee, and at the White House, against persons specifically accused. It would be confined to inspections covering specific charges.

The President had a 15-minute long distance telephone conversation this morning with Vice President Barkley and Speaker Rayburn on a three-way telephone hookup, canvassing the legislative situation.

Social Visit

Taking cognizance of published and broadcast reports that the President has been making Chief Justice Vinson, a visitor at the winter White House, Secretary of State, Ross declared Vinson's visit here, with Clark M. Clifford, former special counsel to the President, "is completely social."

Official sources acknowledged for the first time that there is a division of opinion within the administration as to the release of confidential information in loyalty files in connection with McCarthy's charges of a Communist ring within the state department.

Attorney General McGrath is objecting strenuously against opening FBI files to aid the Communist hunt instigated by McCarthy.

One top source here said: "The President, I am sure, has an understanding with Senator Tydings (D-Md.) Tydings is chairman of the sub-committee."

Division of Counsel

"There has been a division of counsel," this source went on. "The justice department has given the President a memorandum on its positions. Another school of thought believes that some relaxation might be desirable to clear the names of innocent people."

"There has been a good deal of talk about it. The President may decide to give limited access to the FBI, loyalty and civil service files at the White House under restrictions which would prevent a fishing expedition."

"Certain files on people specifically accused may be made available to the committee on a confidential basis and only those parts of the files which might answer specific charges."

The official said Mr. Truman hoped this step would not be necessary and the innocent could be cleared without opening the confidential files.

The President, it was learned, is about ready to announce the appointment of a new chairman of the atomic energy commission.

Plan Forming Junior C. of C.

An informative meeting on the organization of a Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held in Sedalia at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening, March 30, at the Chamber of Commerce office to which young men, 21 to 35 years of age interested in the civic work of their community, are invited to attend.

The speaker of the meeting will be Jim Kolb, president of the Missouri Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is an active organization of young men pledged to work together for the improvement of their community, state and nation — and the world.

Extension Service Laboratory



The above picture shows the recently installed soil testing laboratory now in operation under the direction of County Agricultural Extension Service and installed by the Pettis County Farm Bureau.

Bryan Phifer, assistant county agent, who directs the testing is shown here operating the Photometer which through colored filters determines by the degree of color the amount of calcium, phosphate and potash in the soil samples.

Mrs. Jean Yarboro, who does the testing is shown securing filtrate from a sample in order to

determine the percent of organic matter in the soil. This in turn determines the need for nitrogen.

Since installing the laboratory on the 16th of February over 150 samples of soil have been tested for calcium, acidity, organic matter, phosphate and potash. A charge for testing is necessary in order to pay for the necessary equipment, chemicals and labor.

From these tests the extension agents determine the amount of lime, nitrogen, phosphate and potash needed for the specific crops.

Since the above picture was taken another piece of equipment, a mechanical shaker, has been installed. This machine which is driven by an electric motor greatly reduces the labor involved in testing.

U. S. Envoy Denies Any Red Sympathy

Hits Back at Sen. McCarthy For Making Charges

By Marvin L. Arrowsmith

WASHINGTON, March 20—(P)—Ambassador Phillip C. Jessup branded as "utterly irresponsible" today charges from Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) that he has an "affinity for Communist meuses." He said they showed "a shocking disregard for the interests of our country."

From the witness chair of a senate investigating committee, the envoy-at-large read a statement (1) denying any Communist sympathies and (2) hitting back hard at McCarthy for making the charges in the first place, particularly at a time when Jessup was abroad conferring with foreign governments.

When he concluded, there was a sharp burst of applause from the 200 or more spectators crowded into the room.

Included McCarthy

During the wrangling, chairman Tydings (D-Md) chided McCarthy for not giving the senate Foreign Relations subcommittee a list of 81 persons that McCarthy says are Communists or Communist sympathizers in the state department. McCarthy said last week that he was mailing the list to Tydings, but Tydings said he had not received it.

After a whispered conversation with McCarthy, Senator Hickenlooper (R-Ia.) turned the list of the 81 names over to Tydings. "Before the day is over," Tydings said, "I shall ask the State Department to get the files (of the 81 names)." (Please turn to Page 4, Column 3)

Judge George W. Hardy, Jr., Club Speaker Friday Night

Judge George W. Hardy, Jr., of the Second Court of Appeals at Shreveport, La., will be the speaker at the next meeting of the Sedalia Knife and Fork club in Bothwell hotel Ambassador room Friday night, March 24.

His subject will be "God, the Supreme Court and Us." He will explore the matter of whether we are in danger of losing religion by zealous pursuit of the letter of the law and many other questions akin to it which are troubling many patriotic and deeply religious citizens of the United States.

World wide socialistic trends, the "gimme boys and girls," minority pressure groups, failure of adherents of democracy, bad politics, the high cost of government all enter into Judge Hardy's discussion, according to the club's president, the Rev. H. U. Campbell.

Committee chairmen for the

Injuries Prove Fatal

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 20—(P)—A young Latin American died here Saturday of injuries suffered earlier in an automobile accident.

Alfredo Ortega, about 20, of Baranquilla, Colombia, was fatally injured in the crash that seriously injured four of his companions. The five were students of an aeronautical school in Tulsa, Okla.

Ex-Sedalian Best Dressed In Public Life

NEW YORK, March 20—(P)—The Fashion Academy announced today this 1950 list of America's best dressed women in various fields:

Public Life — Mrs. Alben W. Barkley.

Opera Star — Mrs. Lauritz Melchior, wife of the Metropolitan Opera star.

Stage — Nanette Fabray, now featured in the Broadway musical, "Arms and the Girl."

Radio — Jinx Falkenberg.

Television — Fay Emerson, divorced wife of Elliott Roosevelt.

Society — Mrs. William Paley, wife of the chairman of the board of the Columbia Broadcasting system.

International Set — Mrs. Leon Mandel, of Chicago and Cuba.

Supper Clubs — Dorothy Shay, who sings at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel.

Business — Caryl Barrett, of Somerville, N. J., a New York City fashion promotion executive.

Screen — Rosalind Russell.

Sports — Gussie Moran, whose lace panties created a sensation at the tennis tournament at Wimbledon, England, last year and who has kept eyes popping with other appealing attire.

Concert — Juliana Larson.

All-American — Screen Actress Elizabeth Taylor.

Hostess — Mrs. William O'Dwyer, ex-stylist wife of New York mayor, and the former Sloane Simpson.

Author — Maggi McNellis, radio and television commentator who has written a party book.

Lawyer Guest Speaker at Rotary Today

Spoke on Pettis Players and Their Purpose in Sedalia

Michael Bogutski, Sedalia attorney, was the guest speaker today noon at the Rotary club. He spoke on "The Establishing of a Little Theatre in the Community." Mr. Bogutski told of the organization of the Pettis Players, the talent in all lines that was brought out in the producing the recent play and of the plans for Little Theatre work in the future.

The speaker was introduced by the program chairman George T. Lockett.

Oscar DeWolf, president, presided over the meeting and invocation was by Z. Lyle Brown. The song leader was the Rev. D. Warren Neal.

Guests introduced by Dick Snow were as follows, Mort Eastlake guest of Nolan Bricken; Frank Van Dyke, guest of George H. Routsong and Abe Rosenthal guest of Z. Lyle Brown.

Nominating group to Meet

Z. Lyle Brown announced a meeting of the nominating committee to be held in his office at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night.

A letter was read by the president from the bureau for the blind complimenting the aid given by the Rotary in helping to complete the education of Leonard Dowdy, Jr. He is now operating his own business on Twelfth street and Center avenue.

R. M. Johns, chairman of the Forum announced the last lecture of the series would be Monday night, March 27.

Governor And Wife To Hear Margaret

JEFFERSON CITY, March 20—(P)—Gov. Forrest Smith said today he and Mrs. Smith would go to Kansas City tomorrow to hear the singing of Miss Margaret Truman, the President's daughter.

The governor told his press conference he would leave Kansas City by plane Wednesday for Sioux Falls, S.D., to attend a meeting of the Missouri basin inter-agency committee. He said John A. Short, water engineer for the state department of resources and development, would accompany him. They plan to return by plane Friday.

Heavy Tax Payment On March 16

WASHINGTON, March 20—(P)—Cash income tax payments totaling \$635,379,897.23 were tallied March 16, the day after the 1949 income tax deadline, the treasury reported today.

The single-day tally amounted to more than five per cent of total collections of this kind throughout the preceding eight and one-half months of the fiscal year, which began last July 1.

The March 16 figure still did not cover all income tax payments mailed on the deadline date. The treasury estimates it may take about two weeks to open all those envelopes and tabulate the receipts.

Red Officials Refuse to Evacuate City

Two American Ships Barred From Entering

By the Associated Press

Communist officials in Shanghai refuse to evacuate more than 1,600 foreign nationals from that Red-held city, J. J. Berryman, Hong Kong manager of the American President lines said today.

Berryman said he had talked with officials in APL's Shanghai branch. He said Red officials had refused entry of two American vessels enroute to Japan from Shanghai. The ships were to transport evacuees, including some 300 Americans, through the Shanghai harbor waters which the Nationalists say they have mined.

America's billion-dollar arms aid program to bolster western Europe's defenses rolls into high gear today when the first batch of about 75 U. S. B-29s roars off for Britain.

The four-engined planes are the first American arms to be handed over to the British under the arms program approved by congress last October. They also will be the first to reach their European destination.

First American Weapons

Forty-eight Helicot fighters and Helldiver bombers, enroute by boat to Bizerte, French naval base in North Africa, actually are the first American weapons given to an Atlantic pact nation. They are not expected to arrive for some time, however.

Additional cargoes of American military equipment are now piling up at east coast ports for shipment to their western European nations.

Huge quantities of rifles, machine guns, tanks and other ground force equipment are included in the supplies.

Meanwhile, the state department's top brass turned its attention to the situation in the Far East.

Diplomatic reports have convinced these officials that China's Communist rulers are running in to trouble trying to consolidate their hold on the country. As a result, it is believed any Chinese Communist action to spread control into southeast Asia will be slowed down if not indefinitely delayed.

Time to Complete Plans

This, observers hope, will give the United States and other western nations the time they need to complete their own plans for aiding the southeast Asian countries, such as Indochina, to put up a stout defense of their freedom from Red domination.

In embattled Saigon, Communist-led Indochinese rioters fought police for four hours yesterday in protest against American backing for Viet Nam's new pro-French government.

Students and laborers, waving the gold starred flag of Moscow-trained Ho Chi Minh's rebel guerrillas, burned the block square market building before French police dispersed them with tear gas and volleys fired into the air.

Temperatures Below Normal

By the Associated Press

Retreating winter made another brief but feeble counterattack against some sections of the nation today.

Temperatures were considerably below normal in the lower Mississippi valley and Texas, while the Great Lakes region, eastern Missouri and eastern Iowa were pelted with sleet and freezing rain.

Federal forecaster L. L. Means at Chicago said the storm was not severe and that rising temperatures today would clear the area of the ice glaze before spring makes its official entry at 10:36 (CST) tonight.

The southeastern states had rain and the Rocky Mountain region reported both rain and snow. A snowstorm in the mountains east of Salt Lake City, Utah, blocked U. S. highway 40 temporarily last night.

Elsewhere temperatures generally were around normal and skies were clear.

Gold Fever Hits Australian City

SYDNEY, Australia, March 20.—(P)—The gold fever has hit again at Wedderburn, a tiny town 150 miles northwest of Melbourne. The hamlet's permanent population of 1,100 has been swelled by hundreds of new arrivals since vegetable merchant Bert Smith found a 75-ounce nugget worth \$11,100 (2,475).

It's almost like the old days, half a century ago, when Wedderburn was a rich gold town.

The hopeful arrivals, armed with pick and shovel, are pegging out claims and digging all day long.

Mother Who Died Aboard Plane



Mrs. Clifford C. Snow, 32-year-old mother of Kansas City, Mo., a passenger with her 10-month-old son Michael (right) on an airliner, was found dead when the plane landed at Amarillo, Tex. The baby was asleep beside her. Mrs. Snow and her son were enroute to their home at Kansas City after a visit with relatives at Phoenix, Ariz. Amarillo authorities said Mrs. Snow left a note to her husband and an inquest would be held. (AP Wirephoto)

Mrs. Snow's husband, Clifford Snow, is a grandson of Mrs. A. M. Parks and a nephew of Mrs. Alta Book, 316 South Hancock avenue, this city.

Baby Sitter is Strangled To Her Death

Columbia Girl's Body Found When Parents Return Home

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 20—(P)—Officers studied fingerprints and fingerprints today in an effort to trace the assailant who raped and strangled a 13-year-old baby sitter.

The body of brown-haired Janett Christman, a high school student, was found early Sunday in a Columbia home where she was baby sitting.

During the last six months, another baby sitter was raped and a college student was the victim of an attempted rape in the same neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Romack found the body when they returned home. Their three-year-old son, Gregory, with whom Miss Christman was baby sitting, still lay asleep. He apparently had slept throughout the evening.

Prosecuting Attorney Carl Sapp said blood was smeared through the house, indicating the girl put up a terrific struggle.

Footprints were found in a sleet covered area near a broken window in the house. Police believe the intruder crawled through the window. The State Highway Patrol also is processing fingerprints found at the scene.

Cord Around Her Throat

An electric iron cord was twisted around the girl's throat. Her scalp had been pierced several times by an instrument, apparently similar to a small lead pipe.

Dr. M. P. Neal, University of Missouri pathologist, performed an autopsy and listed asphyxiation by strangulation as the cause of the death. The time of the slaying was fixed at between 10:30 and 11:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Police speculated on the possibility that the girl may have attempted to call police at the time of the incident.

An excited girl or woman telephoned the police station at about (Please Turn To Page 4 Col. 3)

Symphony Orchestra Rehearsal At Broadway School

The Symphony Orchestra will have its rehearsal at the Broadway school tonight instead of at Smith-Cotton high school.

Sedalian With Rare Disease Encouraged, Getting Better

Gerald Harrell ate breakfast this morning with his parents, the first time he has been able to do this since encountering the strange disease, myasthenia gravis, last spring. The 14-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Harrell is a much happier boy today, because he is looking forward to being back in school next fall.

Jerry and his parents returned from the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., Friday night, after being at the clinic for nearly a week, at which time, Jerry was given various tests and examinations and consulted famous doctors to ascertain if he could be cured of the strange disease.

Today, not only does Jerry feel good, but his parents likewise, because there may be a chance to cure the boy. His mother was very happy this morning, and said, "I feel as if God has been with us." Their trip to Mayo's was arranged through several civic organizations and friends in Sedalia.

To Get Stronger Medicine

Mrs. Harrell reports her son is to receive stronger medicine, and that he may get back to leading a normal life. At the present time there is no complete cure.

Important Events In World News

WASHINGTON, March 20—(P)—Great Britain today received authority to buy \$3,000,000 worth of dried eggs from American suppliers.

The Economic Cooperation Administration announced the Marshall plan spending approval. The U. S. Department of Agriculture will handle the buying, for delivery by September 30 of this year.

The egg purchases were announced in new Marshall plan aid totaling \$9,969,000 to seven Western European countries.

The transactions brought total ECA commitments since start of the European recovery program to \$8,563,534,000.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 20—(P)—President Truman signed an executive order here today heading off a strike scheduled for tomorrow on 12 western railroads.

The President's order set up an emergency board to inquire into a dispute between the Carriers and Switchman's Union of North America.

The order automatically postpones the strike for 60 days. Personnel of the board is to be named later.

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, March 20—(P)—Heads of all non-Roman Catholic churches swore allegiance today to the Communist-led Czech regime, the official news agency said.

The clergymen, who took the oath before Premier Antonin Zapotocky, corresponded in rank to Roman Catholic archbishops and diocesan bishops.

ENCINO, Calif., March 20—(P)—Edgar Rice Burroughs, who dug a literary gold mine in the African jungle with Tarzan, is dead.

WASHINGTON, March 20—(P)—Administration leaders were reported making strong efforts today to revive the bipartisan foreign policy. It has been sagging in the continued absence from Congress of Senator Vandenberg.

Recovering from a lung operation last fall, the Michigan Republican, has been ill and unable to attend any Senate sessions since February 2.

The fire, which started about 2 a. m., burst through the roof of the three-story brick building about 45 minutes later, turning the corner into a raging inferno.

All off-shift firemen were called to fight the blaze in the downtown business district.

The doctors are working on a new drug.

Doctors informed Mrs. Harrell that Jerry's health, outside the disease was grand. Doctor L. M. Eaton said Jerry was the 334th person to come to the clinic with myasthenia gravis in the past nine years. The doctor said the patients who have come to the clinic are from all over the world.

Jerry is to receive lots of outside air, and sunshine and is to undergo all the exercise he can stand. He is to eat six meals a day instead of three to help rebuild his muscles and strength and to gain his weight back. Jerry is about 40 pounds overweight.

Dr. Eaton told Mrs. Harrell that he has only received one case younger than Jerry and that was a 11-year old boy. The doctor told Mrs. Harrell that boy is now 23 years old, married and has a child and is apparently well.

The doctor commended the local physician here, Dr. E. L. Rhodes. Jerry's local doctor diagnosed the boy's illness from the start. Dr. Eaton said 92 per cent of the patients coming to them, who had the strange disease, didn't know what they had until after going through the clinic.

Russian Spy Off For Home

15-Year Sentence Suspended Provided He Goes to Russia Never to Return

NEW YORK, March 20—(P)—Valentin A. Gubitchev today started back for Russia and whatever fate the Kremlin may decree for a Soviet official who got caught spying.

The stubby Russian engineer-diplomat sailed at 12:12 p. m. (EST) aboard the Gdynia-America liner Batory, less than two hours after his 15-year prison sentence was suspended on condition he leave these shores "never to return."

A big contingent of federal and city policemen, along with justice department officials and Russian diplomats, put Gubitchev — in handcuffs — on the ship. A force of policemen stayed aboard until the Batory left New York harbor to make sure the Russian didn't get off.

The poker faced Gubitchev broke into a smile just before he left the federal courthouse under heavy guard. He said he wished "good luck" to Judith Coplon, the ex-government girl convicted with him of plotting to spy for the Russians.

Girl Given 15 Years

Miss Coplon was sentenced to a straight 15-year term. She is free in \$40,000 bail while her appeal is being heard.

Six motorcycle policemen, sirens screaming, led the motorcade from the federal courthouse to the Hudson river pier where the Batory was ready to sail. Six guards rode with the manacled Gubitchev in a closed van.

A deputy U. S. marshal told him the North Atlantic was pretty rough at this time of year.

"Gee, I'll get seasick," the Russian said.

"Try a bottle of brandy," the officer advised.

Gubitchev shook his head. "No good. I tried that once."

"I suppose they'll give you a parade when you get back to Moscow," another guard said. "You'll be a hero."

He'd go Crazy

Gubitchev clutched his temple with both hands.

"Gee, no. I'd go crazy," he said.

The Batory, on which Gubitchev and his attractive wife occupy a first class cabin, is the ship on which Communist underground leader Gerhart Eisler fled this country last year.

The Russian boarded the ship, with guards surrounding him, by the crew's gangway.

He then proceeded up a ladder to the promenade deck and to cabin 102 on the port side, where Mrs. Gubitchev hugged and kissed him.

The cabin was locked with guards inside and outside when the Batory sailed. Border patrol officers remained aboard until the liner reached Ambrose lightship off New York harbor.

The Batory's first port of call is Gdynia, Poland.

V. F. W. Building Burns

BURLINGTON, Ia., March 20—(P)—Six firemen were injured and loss is estimated at \$550,000 from a fire that destroyed the three-story Veterans of Foreign Wars building here early today.

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• The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Big Business Begins Early Drive
Against Truman 'Socialism'

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON.—A quiet campaign by big
business to defeat the Truman administration
was launched in New York the other day under
the auspices of the National Association of
Manufacturers.

Chairman by Carrol E. French of Standard
Oil of New Jersey, a group of big business
executives discussed plans for a propaganda
drive through employee magazines and by put-
ting slips into employees' pay envelopes.

Chief speaker at the closed-door meeting was
Lemuel Boulware, vice-president of the giant
General Electric corporation and former vice-
chairman of the War Production Board. Boul-
ware announced that General Electric was ac-
tively campaigning for the Taft-Hartley act,
against unions and, above all, against socialism.

"Roosevelt, Truman, Reuther and their ilk
are the avowed enemies of American business,"
Boulware told his fellow executives in brief.
"They consider the American businessman a
thief, a cheat and a coward. The time has come
for the American businessman to stand up and
take a stand for what he believes in.

"Therefore, General Electric," he said, "is
taking a strong stand against socialism which
we regard as a more serious menace than Com-
munism."

Boulware, who is in charge of G.E.'s labor
relations, also stated that no union on a na-
tional level is any good.

Business executives were also urged to give
as much circulation as possible to "The Road
Ahead," written by bitter Roosevelt-hater John
T. Flynn.

NOTE—Anti-Trumanites are putting on such
a strong campaign for Flynn's book that it's
been required reading for many of the girls
at the swank Holton Arms school in Washington.

Irrepressible McCarthy

Republicans have been getting more and more
embarrassed over the antics of harum-scarum
Senator Joe McCarthy of Wisconsin. After
claiming 207 pro-Communists and disloyalists
were on the State Department's payroll, smiling
Joe hasn't named a single State Department
official who was a pro-Communist and made
the charge stick.

The trouble with Joe is that he rushes into
situations where he doesn't have the facts, just
as he rushed into his own election campaign
in Wisconsin without resigning from the court
of appeals. As a result of using the judicial
bench as a campaign forum, the board of bar
commissioners lodged the following serious
charge against him before the supreme court:

"It is difficult to conceive of any conduct
upon the part of a presiding judge which would
bring judges and courts into greater disrepute
and contempt than the conduct of the defendant
(McCarthy) challenged in this proceeding.

"He, as an officer of the court, knowingly
and willfully, placed the gratification of his
personal ambition above the interests of the
public and the rights of litigants.

"The defendant, by his conduct, chose to
defy the rules of ethical conduct prescribed
by the Constitution, the laws of the state of
Wisconsin, and the members of the profession,
in order to attain a selfish personal advantage.
The gratification of his ambition was in de-
fiance of the declared public policy and laws
of the state of Wisconsin."

The Wisconsin supreme court held that Mc-
Carthy was guilty of the above charge, but for
some reason failed to disbar him. This caused
the irrepressible gentleman, who now flings
charges at the State Department, to smirk at
the board of bar commissioners as follows:

"Their actions are a disgrace to every honest,
decent lawyer in the state of Wisconsin and
they should resign."

A Different Republican

In direct contrast to the way Senator Mc-
Carthy is rocking the foreign-relations boat is
another Republican, Governor Warren of Cali-
fornia.

Out at the University of California, most of
the faculty threatened to quit rather than sign
an oath demanded of them by McCarthy-
minded members of the board of regents. Just
as McCarthy wants to dig into every organi-
zation a State Department official ever be-
longed to, even in his youth, and no matter
how patriotic his recent record, so University
of California regents demanded that University
of California faculty members sign an oath
which delves back into the past.

Faculty members are willing to take the same
oath of allegiance by the president of the United
States or the governor of California, and Gov-
ernor Warren emphatically supported them in
this. As a member of the board of regents,
furthermore, he voted against the unfair oath
demanded by other regents.

Thousands of educators all over the country
are watching for the outcome of this dispute.

NOTE—Governor Warren's fairness in mat-
ters similar to the above is one reason why he
gets almost as many Democratic votes as Re-
publicans.

Col. McCormick Abroad

Good will for America got a jolt recently
at a stormy press conference in Bombay, India,
a key spot in the cold war.

Fifty Indian correspondents gathered around
Col. Robert McCormick, publisher of the Chicago
Tribune, and were astounded to hear his blithe

announcement that all he knew about Kashmir was that it was the home of fine rugs.

A reporter asked him a question on the hot-test subject in that part of the world, the flam-ing dispute between India and Pakistan.

Colonel McCormick replied he had not even heard of the dispute until 24 hours before he landed in India. This caused an Indian cor-respondent to ask sarcastically:

"Isn't this type of general ignorance respon-sible for the American lack of prestige in the Far East?"

U.S. Shipping Heads for Trouble

No storm at sea will be able to match the storm that is blowing up inside the maritime industry.

The unions haven't run up the storm flags as yet, but the seamen are restless and mutter-ing. They are threatening to strike against the Taft-Hartley act which has doomed their hiring halls and could shipwreck their unions.

Reason for the gathering storm clouds is a National Labor Relations Board decision, up-held by the courts, that hiring halls are illegal under the Taft-Hartley law. This means the end of a hiring system that has lifted seamen out of waterfront dives and gutters and placed them on an equal footing with other workmen.

If open mutiny on the waterfront is now to be averted, the next step is up to Congress. Accordingly, a Senate subcommittee on labor-management relations has given this problem top priority, has already written a tentative report—not yet released to the public.

In this unpublished report, the plight of American seamen before the advent of hiring halls is bluntly described as follows:

"Originally the seaman in search of a berth went to the dock where he knew a ship had arrived or was readying for sail," the report explains. "The shipping master then selected the required personnel from among the group who showed up. This simple, hit-or-miss method of employment, known as 'hiring off the dock,' created a large pool of unemployed labor im-mediately in competition with one another, with the certain results of discrimination, favoritism, kickbacks and depressed wages. . . . Employee recruitment was all too frequently based on favoritism and bribery rather than on ability and character."

In those days, private shipping masters—known as "crimps" in waterfront jargon—sup-plied the shipowners with seamen.

"Employment centers were invariably sailors' boardinghouses, saloons, brothels or restaurants, which were frequently owned or controlled by the shipping masters," the report continues. "Once in the clutches of the crimp, the sailor might lose the accumulated wages of many months at sea, or, if unemployed for long, would be so debt-ridden by the many extortions of the establishment that most of his out-bound wages would be mortgaged in advance. There was little hope for protest. The sailor's employ-ment was controlled."

This is the system that the Taft-Hartley law is now forcing back on the maritime industry.

Sick Shipping Industry

However, this is just one symptom of a sick industry. The unpublished Senate report also takes a sour view of the whole shipping industry.

"Again, as after World War I, the economic position of the American shipping industry and the condition of maritime trade have deterior-ated to a degree which threatens the national interest," declares the report. "Prolonged un-employment is increasingly the grim fact of the maritime worker's life."

At the same time, our merchant fleet has been mothballed or sold on the auction block to foreign bidders. Our active oceangoing vessels have decreased from 4,221 to fewer than 1,235—actually less than the prewar figure for all ships except tankers. Coastal shipping is even worse off. In the prewar period, 20 companies operated 239 vessels. Now 10 companies operate 48 vessels. Meanwhile, only 3 per cent of the shipping tonnage now under construction will fly the American flag.

"The merchant marine is too vital to national defense to permit disregard of the unsolved economic problems of this sick industry and the threatened disruption of its labor relations," warns the Senate report. "Industry should se-cure adequate protection and a fair return for its operation; and, in turn, maritime workers should have the dignity and protection afforded other organized American workers. Unless these objectives are attained, the entire structure of our great merchant marine is immediately and seriously threatened."

NOTE—In connection with this same prob-lem, the Senate subcommittee is also investi-gating "gangsterism and racketeering" on the New York waterfront where longshoremen are now reported in the hands of gangsters and politicians.

• Just Town Talk

THE OTHER Afternoon
A SON OF An
AUTOMOBILE DEALER
SAW A Car
ON WHICH Was
A SIGN
"A BLIND Man
IS DRIVING
THIS CAR"
THE YOUNG Man
COULD HARDLY Believe
IT COULD Be True
AND HE Spent
MOST OF The
AFTERNOON
FOLLOWING HIM
HE COULDN'T Understand
IT

THE CAR Obeyed All
TRAFFIC RULES
STOPPED AND Started
PROPERLY
AND ALL That
"MUST BE Radar
CONTROLLED"
THOUGHT THE
YOUTH
"BUT IT'S Wonderful!"
AND NOT Until
LATE IN The
AFTERNOON
DID HE Learn
THE "BLIND MAN"
WAS A Salesman
FOR VENETIAN Blinds
I THANK YOU

Abundant Living

by
E. STANLEY JONES

John 16:33; I John 5:4—5; Isa. 41:10; 43:5

EVERY FOE YOU FACE IS A DEFEATED FOE

When you will be to well the whole of the universe of reality is then behind your will. And the whole of the universe of reality wills your release, and provides for that release. This fact is summed up in the words of Jesus: "In the world ye shall have tribulation; but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world." Here is an open-eyed frankness that does not deny the fact of a world of tribulation in which we must live—this world of tribulation which lies around us and in us. And yet, after looking at it, with all its brutality and its power to hurt, He says: "Be of good cheer; I have overcome the world." In other words: every foe you face is a defeated foe.

That brings us to the fourth step: (4) Remember that every fear, every trouble, every sickness, every sin you may face has been and is defeated and overcome by the One you follow—Christ. When fears and sicknesses and sins come upon you to overwhelm you and to beat you into submission by their very overbearing presence, just calmly look each one in the eye and say: "I am not afraid of you. You have been and are decisively beaten by my Lord. Will you bend your neck? There, I knew it! The footprint of the Son of God is upon your neck." This confidence is your starting point: nothing can touch you that hasn't touched Him, and that hasn't been defeated by Him; and if you open your life to His power every ill can be defeated again by you through His grace. You need not be defeated by anything unless you consent to be. If you throw your will on the side of victory, then the whole of the Universe of Reality throws itself behind your will, releases it, reinforces it, redeems it—and you! You are caught up in a tide of victory, and nothing can stop it except your refusal to co-operate. Paul could say, "I do not frustrate the grace of God!" I do not block its redemption, nor frustrate its healing purposes. Therefore an Al-mighty, harmonious, adequate person. You can be the same.

O God, my Father, I have closed my heart to Thy healing and to Thy deliverance. I have wrapped myself within myself—afraid of salvation! I have protected my lungs—from air! My heart—from love! My aesthetic nature—from beauty! Myself—from Thee! Forgive me. Amen.

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The Doctor Says—

Employment of Handicapped
Growing, But Still a Problem

This is the first of four columns dealing with the Easter Seal Campaign

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.
Written For NEA Service

The problem of earning a living is a serious matter for those who have been crippled by illness or accident or were born with some physical handicap. Those who have some physical defect or deformity, however, are just as much in need of a job as anyone else.

It has been estimated that more than 350,000 children in North America are crippled to a greater or lesser degree. Add to this the grownups who have been injured in the war or by accident or dis-ease, and the importance of the problem becomes obvious.

There are many steps which can be taken to combat the effects of a physical handicap, but this par-ticular discussion is devoted to the need for providing suitable occupations for the handicapped and the progress which has al-ready been made in that direction.

Some years ago many industrial organizations automatically re-fused to consider the application of those who showed any signs

of crippling or deformity. Fortu-nately, this is no longer true. Now many firms make a special effort to fit people who are moderately handicapped by disease of injury into positions where they are not held back by whatever difficulty is present.

This present-day outlook toward handicapped people is gradually spreading. More and more of those who have suffered the ill effects of tuberculosis of the bones and joints, infantile paralysis, the loss of a limb from operation or injury, and heart disorders are able to find satisfactory positions and do a good job in them.

Needs Opportunity

The crippled person has the same feelings and needs as any-one else. He or she should not be discriminated against except insofar as the disability prevents performance of certain kinds of duties. It is cruel and inhumane to condemn someone to a life of inactivity when it is possible for him or her to do many kinds of work quite well.



FINGERPRINTS

Don't Lie

By Rupert Hughes

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THE STORY: Refusing to be-lieve that fingerprint evidence proves that her father Paul Moody killed her father, Azalea Palmer engages private detective Martin Queripel to investigate the case. As Queripel and Harley Kenyon, the lawyer who is to defend Paul, question the girl she reveals that during the murder investigation police detective James Stivers warned another detective, Pete Kelso, to stay away from the tele-phone which had been used to bludgeon Wendell Palmer, Azalea's father, to death. Timothy O'Hara, Queripel's assistant, reveals that Kelso is "as bad as they make 'em." Azalea has just left Queripel's office.

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MARTIN QUERIPHEL and Harley Kenyon stood for a long mo-ment lost in the gloom left when Azalea Palmer's bright presence was absent. Queripel broke it with a confession:

"I'm curious to see what kind of a man could inspire such a girl to such devotion."

"So am I," said Kenyon with such ardor that Queripel laughed: "Jealous?"

"Maybe I am at that," said Ken-yon. "You'd better come along with me to the jail."

There was no difficulty about securing the interview. An officer brought Paul Moody into the con-ference room and the young scul-por came in almost as heavily and coldly as if he were one of his own statues moving. He was grim and bitter and almost petrified with rage and wonder at his own helplessness and humiliation.

Queripel introduced himself and Kenyon and said:

"We came at the request of Miss Azalea Palmer—or rather at her command."

The mere sound of her name brought Moody's whole frame alive as by a miracle. The words "at her command" mobilized his carved features into a smile so

tender and so lovingly amused that both of the visitors understood why a girl might love him and believe in him.

There was no hint of craft or self-satisfaction in that smile.

"How is she? I could kill myself for adding to what she's suffering for the father she loved as if he were her child—a bitter, brutal child, but her own."

His look of rigid agony turned into a kind of almost laughter as Queripel described Azalea's descent upon his office, her de-mand for his help, and her lofty scorn for mere fingerprints. He told of calling in Kenyon, and Azalea's prayer that Paul accept their services to save her from despair. He added:

"She told me that if I didn't do as she said, she'd murder me. But she gave no orders to you—only her prayers."

"They're orders to me," said Paul. "I can't pay you much. And I don't know when I can pay you. Of course, my father and mother want to mortgage their home and engage the most expensive law-yers. But I'd rather go to the gas chamber than rob them of the last little security they have skimmed and scraped to build up all their long lean lives."

"One of the first things I had planned to do, when I got that big commission for the National Elec-tric statue group, was to give them some comfort, but Azalea's father for some reason of his own, wrecked that hope. Azalea, though, agreed to live with me on my next-to-nothing. In fact, I came back to my studio to telephone her to meet me and get married that very day. But I was arrested and—here I am instead of on my honey-moon."

"Tell us just what happened,"

Thanks to far-sighted physi-cians, industrialists, and organiza-tions like the National Society for Crippled Children (which is now conducting its Easter seal drive), the opportunities for the handi-capped have been constantly in-creasing.

The situation should continue to improve because so many handi-capped persons have already shown that they can perform use-ful work satisfactorily in many kinds of occupations. Also new methods of treatment and occupa-tional training have been success-ful in preparing great numbers of handicapped persons for work in which they could carry on with great success.

All of us should co-operate in helping the handicapped to help themselves.

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

The Rev. Fr. S. Neiberg, pastor of Sacred Heart church, on March 17 celebrated his ordination to the priesthood twenty-one years ago.

The first new night collection of letter mail in the residential section was inaugurated by Post-master E. E. Coddling. The terri-tory covered started from the postoffice, Second street and Lamine avenue, to Third street, thence east to Engineer avenue, south of Fifth street, and west on that street to Ohio avenue. From there the collector moved north to Ohio to Third street, thence

Ruth Millett

Trust Teen-Agers to Find
Something to Worry About

"Our 16-year-old daughter is unhappy because we can't give her as much as a lot of the girls in her class at high school have. I real-ize that many of them have nicer clothes, better homes, and more spending money than our daugh-ter. We love her and give her everything we can manage—but still she feels it isn't enough. I can sympathize with her because I remember what it was like to be her age—but I can't seem to say anything that will help her."

There may not be much you can say that a 16-year-old will find comforting. But don't let her temporary unhappiness make you unhappy.

Teen-agers are often unhappy—if not over one thing, then over another. While your daughter is wishing she had better clothes and

a nicer home you may be sure other girls in her class are worrying about other things.

Some are probably unhappy about their looks. Others are sure to feel their families don't un-derstand them. Others may feel that they aren't popular. And so it goes.

Youngsters Are Natural "Worry-Warts"

Dissatisfaction is a part of grow-ing up for most young people—for it is then they start compar-ing themselves with others their own age and deciding that in one way or another they don't measure up.

Just go ahead as you're doing, giving your daughter what you can. But don't feel you are cheat-ing her because you can't give her more.

If she has a happy home where she is loved and understood—this temporary unhappiness will work itself out in time.

When she is older she will ap-preciate all that you have done and are doing for her. She'll prob-ably wonder how she could ever have let you down by letting you know that she expected more than you could give.

The fact that you sympathize with her now instead of looking on her as ungrateful child she will remember, too, when she is mature enough to understand a few more things.

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• So They Say

This is 1950's major issue: Do the American people still believe in government by the people . . . or in setting up a government which tells the people what they shall do?

—Sen. Robert A. Taft (R.) of Ohio.

—O—

In the few days since I resumed the presi-dency I have found most members of the Kuomintang (Nationalist Party) selfish. They care only for personal interests and those of their cliques.

—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

—O—

It just doesn't make sense for the government to put out money for soil conservation with one hand and, with the other, put out price support money to farmers who deliberately abuse the land.

—Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan.

—O—

With my responsibility for the readiness of the fleet for war, I certainly cannot say that the forces we now have are completely adequate.

—Admiral Forrest P. Sherman, chief of naval operations.

—O—

We are struggling against an adversary that is deadly serious. We are in a position where we are playing for keeps. Moreover, we are in a situation where we could lose without ever firing a shot.

—State Secretary Dean Acheson.

—O—

The battleship is as dead as the dodo in its original role as the major day fighter of the seas.

—Adm. Wm. H. P. Blandy (Ret.).

• Side Glances

"I can't promise that I'll never fight again, but I can promise that I'll fight Jimmy Murphy again!"

Social Events

Mrs. A. O. Grishkat, 701 South Engineer avenue, entertained at a 1:00 o'clock dinner Sunday, with a family reunion, and a birthday celebration for Walter W. Neumann who with Mrs. Neumann has been here a week from their home in Three Lakes, Wis. They are house guests of Mr. Neumann's brother, Robert Neumann and Mrs. Neumann, 1406 East Fifth street.

There was a birthday cake and gifts for Mr. Neumann, and also a gift for Mrs. Neumann.

Guests were the Neumann families, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Tucker, Mrs. Hubert Brown and son, Richard, who is attending CMSG, Warrensburg, and Bobby Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Neumann are returning to Three Lakes, Tuesday.

Mrs. Leon Wells, 644 East Twelfth street, and Mrs. Jack Herndon gave a linen shower in honor of Mrs. Eddie Lyles Friday night at the home of Mrs. Wells. Refreshments were of ice-box pudding and coffee were served. The St. Patrick's Day motif was carried out throughout the home. The evening was spent playing games.

Those attending were the honoree Mrs. Lyles, Mrs. R. H. Sheffield, Mrs. S. C. Lyles, Mrs. Don Poundstone, Mrs. Carl Dean Austin, Mrs. Carl Jarshwitch, Mrs. Jim Carter, Miss Carolyn Collins, Miss Anita Parks, Miss Connie Putnam and Miss Mary Alice Sheffield.

Members of the Helen G. Steele Music club and their guests will have an opportunity on Wednesday afternoon, March 22, to hear the winners of superior awards in the Junior Music Festival. The Festival, which is sponsored by the Missouri Federation of Music Clubs of the Fifth District was held on Saturday, March 11.

Mrs. A. B. Potts, chairman of the Junior Department of the music club will be chairman of the program and will present the superior winners in piano, solo, piano duo, piano duets and voice.

Preceding the meeting the department chairman of the Helen G. Steele Music club will have a luncheon at the Heard Memorial Club House.

The program which will begin at 2:00 o'clock will be given by the following superior winners: piano solos by Jerry Brown, Loren Douglas Sutherland, Marcia Rissler, Craig Brougher, Morna Jean Kirschner, Judith Ann Case, Patricia Sue Green and Valgene Hayworth.

Piano duo, Valgene Hayworth and Donald Potter and Dorothy Jean Anderson and Sally Jo Dowdy.

Piano duet, Dorothy Jean Anderson and Sally Jo Dowdy. Voice numbers by Leslie Eells, Alice Rissler, Mary Jo Case, Patricia Sue Green, Anala Allcorn, Donna Maria Robinson, Wanda White and Robert Zoernig.

Lodge Celebrates 43rd Anniversary

The Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, No. 225, met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jay Nichols, 1400 East Thirteenth street, to celebrate the 43rd anniversary of the lodge.

A chicken dinner, to which all contributed, was served at the noon hour.

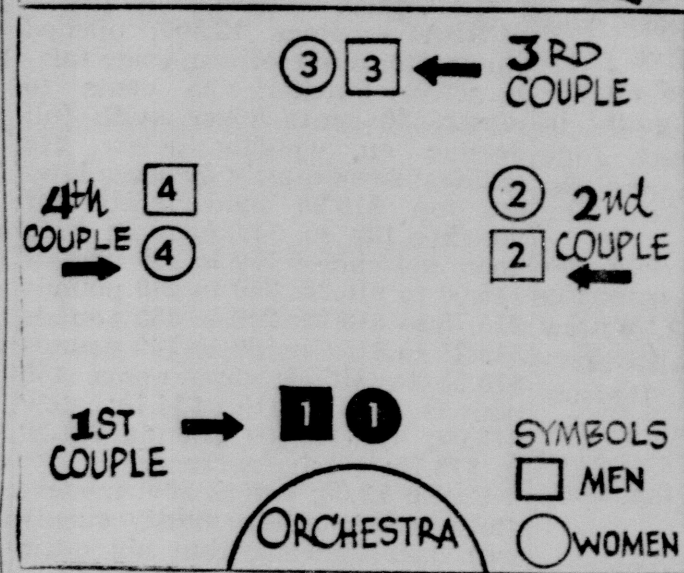
The afternoon was spent in revealing secret pals. Members of the dinner committee were: Mrs. Raymond Hunt, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, and Mrs. John B. O'Brien, Mrs. Leland Witt and Mrs. Bennie Cramer.

Two visitors were Mrs. Dixie Waterfield, of New Franklin lodge, No. 12 and Mrs. Roy Elliott, Jefferson City lodge, No. 167.

Other members present were: Mrs. Charles Spillers, Mrs. W. E. Roach, Mrs. Maude Horton, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. L. N. Yunker, Mrs. H. E. Weseloh, Mrs. F. C. Lietzke, Mrs. Charlie Holt, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. Lloyd Luckey, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Harry Fry, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. Russell Overfelt, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. C. M. Brownfield, Mrs. J. Eddie Deuel and son, Joe and Mrs. Troy Teeter.

'Swing Your Partner'---1

BASIC FORMATION: THE SQUARE



If you ever played "The Farmer in the Dell" or "Ring-Around-the-Rose" when you were a child, you know how to square dance. For square dances (or barn dances, as they're sometimes called) are actually simply games set to music. You just follow the directions given by the caller, keep time to the music and have a lot of fun.

What makes a square dance square is the arrangement (above left) of the dancers. The average square consists of four couples. The one with its back to the orchestra is the first, or head, couple. Each couple, of course, consists of two "partners." When the caller says, "swing your lady" or "swing your own" he means the "gent" should swing (turn) his own partner.

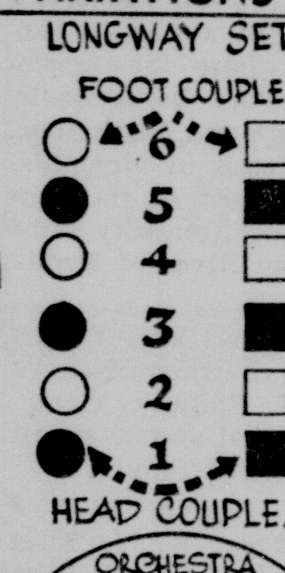
When the caller talks about the "corner lady," he means the lady to the left of the "gent." One of

Written for NEA Service

Some call 'em square dances, some call 'em barn dances, or country dances. By any name, every day more and more people are swinging their partners to the rhythm of country fiddlers. Square dancing isn't hard. In this series, Margot Mayo shows you how to do the basic square dancing steps and

the things that makes square dancing fun is that you don't dance exclusively with your own partner all evening — you usually dance with all the members of your square set. Each "gent" can dance with his partner, his corner lady, his opposite — the lady across the set from him — and the lady in the couple to his right. And each of the couples, too, will dance with each of the others. Couple 1 will dance with couples 2, 3 and 4; then couple 2

VARIATIONS



some of the advanced figures. Miss Mayo, a Texan, is director of American Square Dance Group, editor of the square dance magazine "Promenade," and instructor of folklore and music at the Mills School of Adelphi College, New York. Here's the first of her 12 lessons. Save them all for future reference — and Swing Your Partner!

with couples 3, 4 and 1, and so on. There are many regional variations of square dancing. In some places the dancers don't form a square, they form a ring (center). The caller has the men count off, to designate odd and even couples. Then he'll direct the steps by referring to odds and evens. Another type is the longway set, in which the dancers form two lines, men in one and ladies in the other. But all the different types use the basic steps described

SWING YOUR PARTNER



ed in this series, although there are many different variations peculiar to each type.

One of the most important things to master is the basic step called "swing your partner" (right). The couple holds a regular ball room dancing position, although the man stands somewhat further to the right than in a waltz. The couple then swings around very fast, without moving from their "home" position. Sometimes they place their right feet together, and use their left feet as pushers, giving them more speed as they zip around in circles. This is called the "buzz step."

Another common denominator of most square dances is the "honor your partner" movement. Here each dancer steps back one step. The man bows to the lady and the lady curtsies to the man. It is an informal movement and need not be done stiffly.

CHURCH NEWS

The Bertha Cox circle of the Fifth Street Methodist church held its March meeting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. U. Campbell, with Mrs. Robert Burford and Miss Dorothy Pendleton assisting hostesses.

The president, Mrs. Roy Brown, presided over a short business meeting and then turned the program over to the program committee. Mrs. Neville Jonson gave a talk on "Much Obligated Lord."

Mrs. Sterling Swearingen with three other members of the group gave a playlet, "Important Interview" and Miss Ruth Burford reviewed the remainder of the book, "Women of the Scripture."

The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Brown on the second Wednesday of the month.

The J. K. U. Sunday school class of the LaMonte Christian church held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Guy Mahin Wednesday, March 15.

The president, Mrs. Oliver Sevier presided at the business meeting. For a devotional the group sang, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and they repeated the "Lord's Prayer." Mrs. George Landes read the scripture.

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour to fourteen members.

The meeting was closed by all repeated the benediction.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Frederick with Mrs. Roy Alexander as assisting hostess.

The Christian Builders Sunday school class of the LaMonte Christian church met at the church Wednesday evening, March 15.

A pot luck supper was held and the business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Raymond Wasson in the absence of the president.

A social hour followed.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Epworth Methodist church met Wednesday at the church for its regular monthly meeting.

The meeting opened with organ music by Mrs. Paul Berthouex who played the hymn of the month, "O Sacred Head Surrounded."

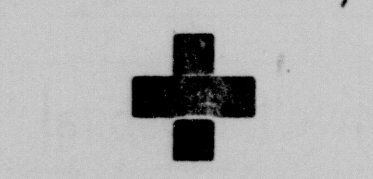
The devotion was given by Mrs. Frank Henderson who used as the call to worship verses from the 67th Psalm.

The lesson, "Christian Advance on Japan," was presented by Mrs. Edgar Ringen and Mrs. Charles Hurt.

The business meeting followed with Mrs. Lester Harrell presiding.

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Mrs. Nell Burrell, 409 North Lamine, and her co-workers made their report at the Red Cross office, Wednesday, March 15. This division had oversubscribed their quota at the time the report was made. With Mrs. Burrell as their chairman, this group had worked together for seven years in soliciting for this humanitarian cause. The volunteers who solicited are: Mrs. Nell Burrell, chairman, Mrs. Bell Cavit Brown, Mrs. Betty Cole, Mrs. R. V. Draffen, Mrs. Agnes Jackson, Mrs. Otella Jackson, Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, Mrs. Sebelia Ray, Mrs. Georgia Robinson, Mrs. Ada Sutherland, Mrs. Leah Toley, Mrs. Bertha Toomer, Mrs. Mayme White and Mrs. Brownell Young.

Mrs. Kingsbury reported the largest amount collected, and Mrs. Otella Jackson the second largest.

Harry S. Naugel, Chairman, 1950 Fund Campaign states the month of March is two-thirds gone. By this time last year we had reached our quota. The success of the campaign is now in the hands of the workers. Every adult in the chapter's territory must be given an opportunity to participate in the work of the Red Cross through a contribution of funds and establishing a membership in the Red Cross. Providing this opportunity to adults in the chapter territory is now, of course, a responsibility of the campaign workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeFrain, Co-chairman of La Monte Township announce the following volunteers are assisting them in the Fund Campaign: Mrs. E. R. Hale, Mrs. D. A. Layne, Mrs. Ira Bass, Mrs. C. N. Moore, Mrs. Paul Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Templeton.

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Smith-Cotton Queens Chosen

The class queens for the Smith-Cotton carnival that will be held the 31st of this month have been chosen. The queens and their respective grades are as follows: Eighth grade, Mary Peters; Freshmen, Darlene Peters; Sophomores, Gloria Flores; Juniors, Ruth Ann Decker, and Senior, Patty Croy.

The class that sells the largest number of tickets to the carnival will have its representative crowned queen of the carnival. The money that will be netted from the carnival will have its representative crowned queen of the carnival. The money that will be netted from the carnival will be used for new scenery and curtains for the high school age.

The ticket drive will start Monday. This carnival will be the first one held at Smith-Cotton for over ten years.

The carnival will consist of one main minstrel show in the auditorium along with several acts, and offer other forms of entertainment and amusement, such as side shows, fish pond, house of magic, etc.

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Found Shot to Death ST. LOUIS, March 20.—(P)—Jules Schilling, 50, general foreman for the Laclede Gas Light company, was found shot to death in his home yesterday.

Police Capt. John O'Laughlin of

Suburban Glendale said a German-made automatic pistol was found beside the body.

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One-Act Play Winners Are Announced

Tournament Held in Smithton Friday, Saturday

The Smithton one-act play tournament, which is an annual event, started 23 years ago by Mrs. H. L. Hill, editor and publisher of the Smithton high school auditorium. Raymond Kahrs was master of ceremonies and Mrs. Frank S. Leach and Mrs. L. J. Harned judged the plays.

In the dramatic class the play: "He Is Here," directed by Mrs. Otis Wiley, won first place. Those taking part were O. W. Wiley, John Youngkamp, Charles Alden, Esther Meisheimer, Clara Farmer, Glee Martin, Cynthia Mynatt, Bonnie Bultemeier, Theresa Cook and Roy Dawson.

The second place in dramatics was awarded "Evening Star," directed by Mrs. Paul Benson. The cast of characters were Mrs. P. V. Siegel, Mrs. George Knox, Warren Lewis, Lynn Wagenknecht, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Lois Hildebrandt, Paul Benson, J. J. Yeager, Rosemina Shaw and Phyllis Momborg.

First in Humor

The first in the comedy class was "Sis O' the Ozarks," directed by Mrs. H. L. Hill. Those taking part were Mrs. William Lamm, Betty Hume, Mildred Dillon, Melva May, Mrs. Howard Scott, Paul Selken, Mac Muschancy and John Wagenknecht.

Second in the county classification was "Grandma Nick" directed by Miss Doris Maloney and Mrs. O. R. Demand. Those taking part were: George Griffin III, Joyce Griffith, Bob DeWitt, Shirley Bolte, Max Smith and Mrs. Earl Shroat.

The first three awards in any classification were: First, "He Is Here," second, "Sis of the Ozarks" and three, tie, "Grandma Nick" and "Evening Star."

The play winning first in the contest, "He Is Here," will be presented at the Pettis County play tournament at Smith-Cotton high school this evening.

Program With Play

In addition to the plays a program was also presented as follows: Vocal solo, Mrs. Frank Streitz; trumpet trio, Bob Baxter, Bob Wagenknecht, Jim Monsees; ladies' quartet, Mrs. S. C. Kahrs, Mrs. John Daniels, Mrs. George Griffin and Mrs. Robert Griffin; solo, Charles Schneider, accompanied by Grace Schneider; several dance numbers by children of the community, vocal solo, Patty Sue Green, piano solo, Marilyn Green and violin solo, Mrs. C. J. Hiltenberg.

Two Cars Are In Collision

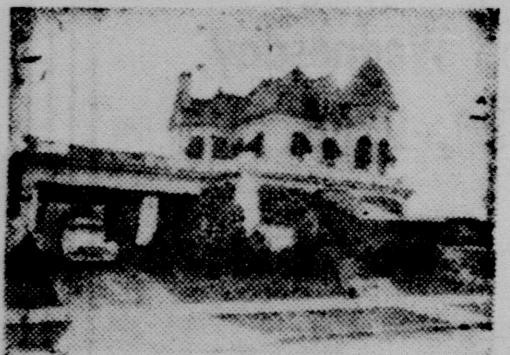
Owen Eding, 19, Cole Camp, received injuries Sunday afternoon when the car in which he was riding and a car of Ralph Grother, 517 East Fourth street, collided at Fourteenth street and Missouri avenue. Eding was treated at the hospital by Dr. A. L. Walter. Eding received a cut and bruised upper lip and a probable fracture of one rib.

The car in which Eding was riding was driven by R. E. Harris, of Cole Camp, a 1946 Ford five-passenger coupe and Grother's car was a 1939 Chevrolet coupe. The front end of the Ford was badly damaged and the right side of Grother's car smashed.

Robert J. Cherry Transferred to Iowa

Robert J. Cherry, 1415 West Fourth street, who for the past three years has been employed at the J. C. Penney store in Sedalia, has been transferred by that company to Clarinda, Ia., where he will be assistant manager of the store there.

Mr. Cherry left this morning for Clarinda and will be joined there later by his wife.



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Finds Pig in Basement, Calls Police Officers

Police received a call from a woman this morning who said, "I've got a pig in my basement." Police then went to the residence of Austin Miller, 502 Wilkerson avenue, to make an investigation.

In the basement was a young pig weighing about 24-pounds, squealing to its heart content. How or when the pig got into the basement appeared a mystery up to mid-afternoon, the door and windows were supposed to have been closed and locked.

At police headquarters the pig has been penned up in the office of the meter department awaiting for its owner to call for it.

Alleged Check Writer Picked Up by Patrol

Stopped on Highway 65 After Getting Pickup Order

About three hours after a pickup order had been broadcast by the Missouri State highway patrol, a 22-year-old alleged check writer was caught by State Trooper Pete H. Stohr on north highway 65, after he had "ditched" his motorcycle and started to run for the woods. The man who identified himself as Jack Douglas Failes of Arcata, California, admitted to the trooper he had passed two checks in Boonville and one in St. Louis.

Failes told of leaving Boonville this morning and going to the Marshall Junction of highways 65 and 40 where he stopped to get himself a cup of coffee. While there a man in a car from Boonville drove up and told him to go back to Boonville, which Failes said he started to do. He continued, saying he came to a filling station about twelve miles east and reaching there cried in bed behind the filling station and waited for the man in the car to go by—which he said he did.

"I then turned around and started back west on the highway and about six miles turned off on a gravel road and I just wasted my time, 'cause they got me hardly before I got back onto the good highway (referring to Trooper Stohr) after I left my motorcycle," Failes said.

Received Pickup Order

Trooper Stohr said he had received the pickup order on the radio, had cruised out on 65 and was returning to Sedalia when Failes passed on his motorcycle. Stohr had to wait until a truck and car passed him before he could turn around, but he had gone but a short distance when he saw the motorcycle lying beside the highway.

Stopping he started looking for Failes and saw him crawling down a ditch. Stohr went along the highway and caught up with the boy and told him to come on out. Failes said he had given the check which he thought was for \$10, another check for \$25 to what he described as the Glover Clothing store, and a check for \$10 in St. Louis. He denied passing any other bad checks on his tour from California, down to New Orleans, through Texas and up into Missouri.

He also said all three checks were written on the First National Bank of St. Louis.

Trooper Stohr said he would be turned over to officials from Cooper county. His motorcycle was taken to the Sedalia police station.

Child Christened

Charles Richard Belt, born December 19, 1949, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy P. Belt, 302 West Third street, was baptised Sunday morning in the Fifth Street Methodist church by the Rev. H. U. Campbell. The grandparents were sponsors: Mrs. Richard Belt, Carrollton, Mo., Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Brady, Sedalia. Altar children were Judith Anne Hathaway and William Michael Johnson.

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Tea Tonight at Elks Home For Missouri Pacific Women

Mrs. Frank Hanigan, president of the Missouri Pacific Women's club, calls attention to the membership tea for all Missouri Pacific women, wives, sisters or daughters of Missouri Pacific employees, to be held at the Elks Home at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

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THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

Sedalia, Mo., Monday, March 20, 1950

Baby Sitter is Strangled To Her Death

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11 o'clock Saturday night. Policeman Roy McCowan, who took the call, said she was so excited he couldn't understand her.

"I urged her to calm down and just tell me where she was," McCowan said. "Then there was silence—not the sound of a receiver being hung up—just silence."

Telephone Receiver Off

After discovery of the body, it was noted the telephone receiver had been improperly placed on the instrument.

A sawhorse had been placed underneath the broken window in the Romack house. The window is nearly six feet off the ground. Sapp said the slayer evidently climbed upon the sawhorse, broke the window glass and crawled inside and over a piano to reach the living room floor.

The prosecuting attorney broadcast an appeal over the local radio station last night, asking citizens for aid in solving the slaying.

The slaying was somewhat similar to the rape-murder of Mary Lou Jenkins, Stephens College student, in February, 1946. Miss Jenkins was killed in the living room of her parents' home. The house is near the Romack home. An electric cord was twisted around Miss Jenkins' throat.

One Put to Death

Floyd Cochran, a Negro, was convicted of the Jenkins slaying and put to death in the state penitentiary gas chamber.

Miss Christman was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christman. The father is a cafe operator. The family formerly lived in Boonville, Mo.

Jake Bradford, a Negro, is being held in county jail in the two other cases of rape and attempted rape that occurred in the Romack's neighborhood in the last six months. He is awaiting trial.

Graveside Services

Graveside services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shackle, 320 East Twenty-seventh street, who died Saturday afternoon at her home, were held this morning at Crown Hill cemetery.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with the Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, to officiate.

Miss Mabel DeWitt will be in charge of the music.

Palbearers will be: D. J. Connelly, J. L. Reine, J. W. Murrell, R. W. Rapp, Harry Spillers, and Bill McCarty.

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More Service, Earned Less

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The rate of earnings reached a new low of 3.86 per cent, compared with 4.09 per cent in 1948.

Pointing the way to more applications for higher rates, the report said:

"Service cannot be extended without facilities, facilities cannot be built without capital and capital cannot be attracted without the inducement of a fair and reasonable return." And, it went on, the only way to bring earnings up to a "satisfactory level" is to raise the price of the service.

A rate-adjusting program has been under way since September, 1947, but the company said, there has been such a lag in the process that the amount of increase requested was "wholly inadequate" by the time the rates became effective.

Brothers Break Jail, Caught

CARROLLTON, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—Two brothers broke out of the 75-year-old Carroll county jail here yesterday, but their freedom flight was brief.

They were captured a short time later on a freight train at Henrietta, 25 miles west of here.

Sheriff Alex Goodson identified the men as Bill Moore, 30 and Allen Moore, 21, itinerants who were being held on burglary charges.

The sheriff said the brothers dug through a soft brick wall while they were outside their steel cage cells to take baths.

Tracks left in the snow led officers to the Wabash depot. A Kansas City-bound freight train had just passed.

The train was stopped at Henrietta and the men were found in a refrigerator car.

It was the 25th escape from the jail here. Only last week a Carroll county grand jury recommended a new jail be built.

Following their capture at Henrietta, the men were taken to the Lafayette county jail for safe-keeping.

Miss Lucille Raines, 1520 South Osage avenue, who has been quite ill at her home the past month with virus flu and pneumonia, shows slight improvement.

Sedalias Featured in Story

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Goodwin of Sedalia are featured in an article, "Easy-to-build Egg Cooler," from the April Issue of Successful Farming magazine.

BIRTHS

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woolery, of Smithton, at 8:04 o'clock this morning at Woodland hospital. Weight: Six pounds, four ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rodgers, Jr., 1824 South Carver avenue, at 8:29 o'clock Sunday night. Weight: Seven pounds 14 ounces. The baby has been named Connie Jo.

Mrs. Rodgers was formerly Miss Betty Jo Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Okeel L. Rice, Fifth street and Lamine avenue.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. John David Bunch, route 1, Sedalia, at 6:02 o'clock Sunday morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Seven pounds, 14 ounces.

Tea Tonight at Elks Home For Missouri Pacific Women

A. B. Warren, 1425 South Sneed avenue, manager of the Main Street Drug, went to St. Louis this afternoon to attend the first annual three-day meeting and seminar of the American Animal Health Pharmaceutical Association.

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Independent Retail Grocers Meet Tuesday

All retail grocers of the city are invited to the meeting of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association being held Tuesday night in the Palm Room of the Bothwell hotel, starting at 8:00 o'clock.

A movie, entitled "Designed for Selling," which is produced and distributed by the National Association of Retail Grocers will be shown and matters of importance to all retail grocers will be discussed.

Hughesville Boy Receives Degree

Ames, Iowa—James Edwin Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Smith, Hughesville, Mo., received the degree of Bachelor of Science from Iowa State College in ceremonies held March 17.

Lodge Notices

Sedalia lodge No. 1494, Loyal Order of Moose will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the Moose lodge, Second street and Lamine avenue. Nomination of officers will be held.

Carl W. Frank, Gov.
W. J. Ramsey, Sec'y.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. E. L. Wright

Mrs. Mary Ellen Wright, 67 years old, wife of E. L. Wright, 714 East Broadway, died at the Bothwell hospital Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. She had been ill two years and had been a patient in the hospital since February 1.

Mrs. Wright was born in Macon county, Missouri, on December 1, 1882. She had been a resident of Sedalia the past 40 years.

Surviving besides her husband are four children, Henry E. Wright, LaCrosse, Wis., Edwin L. Wright, Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Nola Lee Enns, of Columbia and Miss Mary Margaret Wright of the home; one sister, Mrs. W. O. Long, Lindsay, Calif., one brother, Clyde P. Ellyson, Coalina, Calif., and four grandsons.

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Pettis County Farm and Home News

High Organic Matter Need In Gardens

Increases The Moisture Holding Capacity Of Soil

High organic matter in garden soil is essential. Organic matter is decayed plant material.

Organic matter may be applied in (1) barnyard manure; (2) green manure crops (legumes such as soy beans, and such other crops as wheat, rye, oats, etc.); (3) leaves; and (4) rotted sawdust.

Organic matter increases the moisture holding capacity of the soil, thus reducing the effects of drought during midsummer. One cubic foot of sand will hold 15 pounds of water. One cubic foot of soil will hold 35 pounds of water. One cubic foot of organic matter holds 135 pounds of water. Hence, we can see the value of having a garden soil high in organic matter especially for crops that are growing during dry periods.

Organic matter also loosens the soil and makes it easier to work. Plant roots can grow easier through the soil. The soil with a high organic matter will not pack as hard; therefore, more air can get in the surface soil which will encourage better plant growth. Such a soil will provide an enlarged area to hold food material for plant production. Organic matter provides food elements for plant growth as it decays. Organic matter should be added to the soil by plowing under plant material, preferably in the fall, although it may be plowed under in the spring. Since organic matter is not a balanced plant food, a phosphate fertilizer should be added.

When barnyard manure is applied, 10 lbs. of phosphate (P2O5) should be applied to each ton. Fifty pounds of 20% superphosphate or 22 pounds of 45% will provide this. If green manure is plowed under, at least 100 pounds per acre of 0-20-10 should be applied.

Balance to Fertility

It's important to apply fertilizer that will balance the fertility. A soil test is the best guide to determine what kind and how much fertilizer should be applied. This service is available at the Extension office, 410 1/2 So. Ohio St. Sampling should be done carefully to get a true picture of the top 7 inches of soil, i. e. the same amount of soil should be secured from each of the 7 inches. This may be done with an augur or spade.

The amount of available food elements needed in the soil for good gardens are—300 pounds of phosphate (P2O5); 300 pounds of potash (K2O). High in calcium—not more than neutral in acidity, at least 3% organic matter, enough nitrogen to give good growth, and a complete fertilizer as a starter with minor elements (if needed).

The phosphate per acre on crop land usually ranges from 16 to 80 pounds and potash 80 to 160 pounds. A few run lower and a small number run higher than this range. This means for a productive garden, the phosphate and potash level should be materially higher than the average crop land. Care must be used to avoid over liming as this can throw the different elements out of balance.

Heavy applications of phosphate, potash, and lime should be plowed under. Nitrogen, applied as needed, may well be used as a side dressing. The fertilizers that can be used efficiently and economically are 45% superphosphate, muriate of potash, ammonium nitrate, crushed limestone and a complete fertilizer such as 4-12-4, or 8-24-8 or 5-10-5 or 10-15-10 or a complete fertilizer with minor elements.

Side dressing will be used if the general level of soil fertility is low. If the organic matter content is low, a high nitrogen fertilizer may well be used as a side dressing. Side dressing will usually be needed if the spring weather conditions are cold and damp. If the foliage is not a green color usually side dressing will be profitable.

Side dressing usually supplements one of the other methods. In side dressing, the fertilizer is placed near the plant so it can be used quickly. In side dressing the single or double band application may be used with good results. This consists of making a small furrow with a hoe or garden plow about 4 inches from the row and 3 inches deep. Then the fertilizer is scattered in this furrow and covered by cultivation. One pound of complete fertilizer may generally be used for each 50 feet of row single band. Probably not more than 1/4 pound of ammonium nitrate applied in single bands in 50 feet should be used at one application. If more food material is needed, make additional applications about 2 weeks apart.

Planting Demonstration On Fairfax Farm

A Multiflora rose planting demonstration will be conducted Saturday morning, March 25 on the Fairfax Brothers farm southeast

Liberty 4-H Club Organized

Parents and children of the Liberty school district met Monday night March 13 with the Assistant County Agent and Home Agent for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club in their community.

After a discussion by Mr. Phifer, Assistant Agent, explaining the overall 4-H club program the children voted to organize and to name their club the Liberty 4-H club.

Officers elected were: President, Charles Green; Vice President, Wayne Green; Secretary-Treasurer, Kenneth Harris; Reporter, Judy Campbell; Game Leader, John Earl Meyers; Song Leader, Jo Ann Green; and Parliamentarian, Aletha Felton.

Miss Watkins, Home Agent, explained to the group the activities that a 4-H club can carry out and the various projects available for club members. She also stressed need for parents cooperation which is vital to the success of a club.

Mrs. E. E. Campbell was selected as the Community Leader and Mrs. L. W. Harris the Assistant Leader.

The next meeting will be held April 10th at which time the program for the year will be planned.

Address By A Young 4-H'er On Belgium

Van Eithel Tells Of Visit To Seven Foreign Lands

Van Eitel, a 4-H club member from Adair County who represented Missouri in the 1949 International Farm Youth Exchange Program addressed approximately 300 4-H club members, leaders and parents Tuesday evening telling of his experiences, observations, and impressions as an exchange delegate to Belgium.

Van, a 10th year 4-H'er visited seven countries in Europe during his tour; however, the major part of his time was spent in Belgium where he worked and visited with many farm families and various rural organizations.

Calling Belgium a "progressive little America" Van stated that the country is perhaps the farthest advanced of any country on the continent and is well on its way to full recovery from the recent war. He said that he was surprised to find magazines, canned food and automobiles from the United States numerous, and most of all was astonished to hear radio broadcasts originating in the United States and broadcast over the American Occupation Network in Germany.

To understand Belgium agriculture and its problems, one must first take into consideration the size and density of the country, he stated.

Belgium with 8 million population is concentrated in area only one fifth the size of Missouri, and while Missouri has only 56 persons per square mile, Belgium has 717. The average size farm, he continued, is only 13 acres, this being necessary in order to accommodate the 18% of the population engaged in agriculture.

High Yields of Grain Van stated that while Belgium is behind the United States in mechanization, her agriculture is far ahead of ours in some other ways. He spoke of yields of oats which average 80 bushels per acre, wheat which averaged 42 bushels per acre and 49 bushel barley yields which was average. These high yields have resulted from the care given to the soil. The only way Belgium farmers have of increasing income is to increase crop yields, as there is no new land to rent and farms do not change often, he stated. Therefore farmers are very conscientious of soil fertility, returning as much crop and animal residue to the soil as possible. Soil testing is very common in Belgium, Van said.

He told the 4-Hers how fortunate they are to live in a country of such unlimited opportunities and to have such rural youth organizations as 4-H to give them training in agriculture and homemaking. The average farm youth in Belgium has to look for work outside or agriculture unless he is the oldest member of the family, in which case he automatically inherits the farm, and there are no rural youth organizations which compare with our 4-H club program he continued.

Van concluded his address by showing movies which he took while on his tour through Belgium and the six other countries he visited.

of Sedalia on highway C by the members of the South Abell 4-H club, the extension service and the Missouri Conservation Commission.

The planting will be made around a farm pond in order to give a permanent living fence. After 3 or 4 years time the multiflora rose hedge will make a stocktight fence and provide excellent cover for Wildlife. The public is invited and all 4-H clubs carrying the conservation activity are urged to attend.

Mystery Farm Pictures in Central Missouri---



Whose farm is it?

Occupants of the above farm home may have wondered this spring about a plane buzzing low over their buildings. The picture explains it. The airplane pilot didn't know whose farm it was. The photographer didn't either. The two of them just flew around the Central Missouri area served

by the Sedalia Democrat-Capital newspapers and took pictures. They couldn't take pictures of all the farms but they got as many good shots as possible during the light time.

So about once a week hereafter, until the pictures run out, the Sedalia Democrat-Capital will print these farm home pictures as a news feature. The newspapers

would like to know whose farm homes they are.

The mystery farm picture that appeared in the past week's Mystery Farm spot was identified in the Democrat-Capital news offices Saturday by Mrs. C. T. Templeton, route 1, Green Ridge. Mrs. Templeton said the farm was located just west of the Prairie

View church.

The farm has a total of 76 acres and according to Mrs. Templeton her husband does general farming work.

The Templetons have lived there for seven years, coming from a farm near Houstonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Templeton have several children, most of whom live in Kansas City.

February Dairy Herd Report

The February report of the Pettis County Dairy Herd Improvement Association shows that 178 cows produced 96131 pounds of milk containing 3842 pounds fat. The average production per cow was 540 pounds of milk and 21.6 pounds fat.

The five high herds in fat production belong to John Bluhm with 19 cows averaging 29.7 pounds; Eugene Helman with 26 cows averaging 24.8 pounds; E. C. Stevens with 29 cows averaging 22.7 pounds; Lee Yeater & Son with 41 cows averaging 22.1 pounds; and Henry Alt with 21 cows averaging 22.0 pounds.

The 6 high cows in fat production belong to:

Owner	Cow's Name	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. Fat
Lee Yeater & Son	Brass 4	1817	87.2
John Bluhm	89	1826	65.4
John Bluhm	35	1456	64.1
Lee Yeater & Son	06	1368	58.0
E. C. Stevens	Dora	949	54.1
John Bluhm	73	1413	53.2

Membership Cards Due April 1

The last date for turning in or revising 4-H enrollment cards is April 1, according to Bryan Phifer, Assistant County Agent. All 4-H members and those eligible for membership who wish to enroll this year should fill out their cards soon and return them to their leader if this hasn't already been done.

Mr. Phifer reminds members and leaders that any change in project selection should be done before this date. After the enrollments are turned into the State Club office it is too late to make any changes.

Enrollment cards should be turned into the Community Club leader instead of sending them to

Sign Up For Conservation

Township PMA committees have been working the last few days in the county office establishing the 1950 Agricultural Conservation program assistance on each participating farm in Pettis county, reported Jas. A. Harvey, county PMA chairman.

Worksheets have been signed on 1805 out of 2900 farms in the county indicating the intention of the owners and operators to perform approved soil building and conserving practices and these 1805 farms constitute 80% of the total cropland in the county. Although the Agricultural Conservation program provides assistance on an individual farm basis—that is, each farmer carries out the conservation practices he thinks are needed on his farm—the combined efforts on these farms to increase fertility, control soil erosion, and retard water runoff will make a noticeable attack on some of the most serious conservation problems.

Notices of the practices approved on each farm under the 1950 program will be mailed soon to each owner and operator together with a very important letter giving pertinent facts concerning the performance of additional practices under this year's program, stated Harvey.

Timberline in mountains is at an elevation above which trees can not grow.

A cow has been found to utilize up to 25 pounds of chopped white potatoes a day in milk production.

up land in fertility, resistance to erosion, and ability to absorb water rapidly. There is also the return through a hay crop, pasture, and possibly seed to add to the dividends.

Acres diverted from grain or allotment crops can be built up by the use of clovers and at the same time pay dividends in their production. It takes about eight tons of manure to equal the gains that come from one crop of clover. This indicates how rapidly clover builds

Move On Seeding Of Legumes

To aid farmers in planning what to do with land taken out of allotment crops the Pettis county PMA committee calls attention to two conservation practices under the 1950 Agricultural Conservation program:

1. Seeding legumes (Alfalfa, Red Clover, Sweet Clover, Alsike Clover, or Ladino Clover).
2. Establishing permanent pasture.

Pettis county farmers who are interested in these conservation practices should contact the county PMA committee in Sedalia for further information on requirements and specifications to qualify for government assistance.

The practice of establishing permanent pasture has been designated as a Group I practice in Pettis county in 1950.

The county committee urges farmers to give serious consideration to these two practices, stated Jas. A. Harvey, county PMA chairman. Many farmers are turning to dairying as their principal source of income to supplement the production of grain and no practice could be more profitable to them than the increase of carrying capacity on their pastures and the production of legumes for hay and feed. But these practices are also just as profitable to the grain or livestock farmer.

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Paul Selken Is Re-Elected

Meeting Held By Breeders Of Holstein Cattle

Holstein Breeders from a wide area were well represented at the annual meeting of the Central District Holstein Breeders Association held in the County Agricultural Office. J. E. Crosby, secretary of the State Association led the discussion and showed color movies of the ten pre-American Royal Shows of 1949.

Paul Selken of Smithton was re-elected president; Dr. C. O. Jones of Blackburn was elected as the new vice president; Reno Heim south of Cole Camp, re-elected as treasurer and John F. Bluhm of Smithton, the new director to the State Board.

Holstein Breeders have three important events on their calendar this year. On April 24th a Junior show and the Pre-American Royal open show will be held at the Missouri State Fair grounds, first and second prize winners at this show will share in the \$20,000 prizes, regardless of their placing at Kansas City.

The Annual Sale sponsored by the Association will be held at the Empire Ozark Fairgrounds on Sept. 28th and the association will sponsor a dairy school in the fall. Members of the University of Missouri Dairy Dept. will be in charge of the school, and all dairymen of all breeds, 4-H and Vocational students and members of Veteran Agriculture Classes from a large territory will attend. The Ernest and Paul Selken Farms at Smithton has been selected as the site for the school. The Selkens have one of the top herds in the Mid West and these cattle will be used in the days activities.

Committees were chosen for each event and several new members were added to the association.

Buy Structures To Store Grain

The Commodity Credit Corporation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced that it is making awards for the purchase of 81,380,000 bushels capacity of bin-type and comparable grain storage structures. The awards are being made in accordance with the announcement of March 3 that the corporation was preparing to buy additional emergency storage facilities to help handle grain which will be turned over to CCC this spring under price support programs.

All of the structures which are being bought are of a semi-permanent type which can be dismantled and moved to other locations and converted to other uses when they are no longer required by CCC. The awards call for delivery within 45 days.

None of the contracts reported today run to more than 25 cents per bushel of capacity for "erected" storage at the site, and the average cost is about 22 1/2 cents per bushel.

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THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT Sedalia, Mo., Monday, March 20, 1950

Newspaper Man Dies

PLATTSBURG, Mo., March 20.—(P)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Charles F. Ward, 69, publisher of the Plattsburg Leader 33 years.

He died yesterday in a hospital at St. Joseph, Mo.

Ward bought the Leader in 1917 and was publisher until he sold the newspaper two weeks ago to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Biggerstaff.

Since 1926 he had been a curator of the University of Missouri. Previously he had been a member of the board of regents of Northwest Missouri State college, Maryville.

Ward was an ordained minister in the Christian church.

Survivors include his widow and a daughter.

Community News from

Barnett

(MRS. C. L. HATLER)

Mrs. Lora Roark of Littleton, Colo., arrived the past Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Morrow, who is ill and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Morrow.

Funeral service for Mrs. Flora Madole were conducted Thursday at 2:30 o'clock at the Barnett Union church by the Rev. B. F. Dinwiddie of Eldon. Mrs. Madole was close to 84 years of age and died Wednesday at 10:00 o'clock following a lingering illness at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald. Burial was in Big Rock cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cox received word last week that their son, Roy Cox, of Booker, Tex., lost the sight of his left eye the past Monday. The injury occurred while he was greasing a tractor. The tractor slipped off a jack breaking his glasses. The glass that was shattered cut his eye ball very seriously. He was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, Tex., and returned to his home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Hattie Oneal was honored Sunday March 5th with a dinner in celebration of her birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oneal and Gail of Fayette, Mrs. Daisy, daughters and C. W. of Fortuna, Mrs. Leonard Dowell and Charles of California, Mrs. D. W. Bennett and son, Stanley, of Excelsior, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Oneal, Mrs. Oliver Kays and Norma Jean and Bernum Oneal of the home.

Mrs. W. R. Crasbie of Canton, Ohio, arrived Friday to care for Mrs. Lucy Bond and R. L. Frost who are suffering from virus pneumonia.

The Fidelis Circle met Wednesday night with Mrs. O. E. Cochran and Mrs. J. H. Yows was in charge of the devotion. She chose as her subject "Prayer". The April meeting will be with Mrs. C. L. Williams and Mrs. O. E. Cochran will be the leader.

Mrs. Alpha Davidson of Sedalia is visiting her brother, J. M. Williams, Mrs. Williams and other relatives.

George Smith's home was destroyed by fire the past Wednesday. Most of his belongings were also destroyed.

Mrs. Olivia Brown who spent the winter months here with her brother, J. E. Boan, returned to her home in Versailles Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Winebrenner of Kansas City spent the past weekend with her brother, Joe Kays and Mrs. Kays.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Dunstan and family were week-end guests in Kansas City with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gangwish and sons of Jefferson City accompanied them.

William Hess was honored Sunday with a dinner in celebration of his 83rd birthday. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Calton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Herman McFarland and daughters of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Huff and family, Mrs. Frances Huff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Porter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hess and son, Mrs. Thelma Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hayes and son, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hayes and son, Aaron Hess, Roy Hess and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stockley, Donald Tryon and Joyce Hess and Neil and Gene Hicks.

Leo Edmundson attended a dinner at Tipton Wednesday night given by the Missouri Utilities company.

Curtis Crane of Rock Island, Ill., arrived Saturday to spend several days with his brother and sister, Cap Crane and Mrs. J. T. McDow on another relatives.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cochran were: Mr. and Mrs. Wray Cochran and family of Eldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marrow and family of Jefferson City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Marrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson of Columbia were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Routon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cox. Clifford Greenway of Rosendale was also a guest of his parents over the week-end.

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Crime DOES Pay!

Super-Criminals Menace Public Safety With A New Crime Wave Coining Billions



HIGH ON THE LIST: Frank Costello, Joe Adonis, and Frank Erickson (left to right) have been named in connection with operation of the crime syndicates. But students of crime admit there are other big names still unknown

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NE AStaff Correspondent

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — Crime does pay in the United States today.

Organized illegal gambling alone is taking in somewhere between \$5.3 billion and \$20 billion annually. These figures are minimum and maximum estimates made in a recent confidential report of the Special Citizens' Committee of Massachusetts.

Because they are based on reports and findings of many other inquiries, the estimates are rated by the experts as the most reliable that exist.

This fabulous yearly take is the result of a post-war crime wave in America which has brand new, sinister elements never before encountered by law enforcement officers. A group of super-criminals have organized crime syndicates so powerful they threaten public safety, government and the very moral strength of the country.

Only recently have enough details come to light to afford an outline of the whole shocking picture. A great deal still is not known about these syndicates. But as a result of courageous investigation by various public officials, citizens' groups and special state crime commissions, the following definite facts have been established:

A small but undetermined number of syndicates now have tight monopolistic control of the racing wires (essential to off-track betting), the slot machine racket, and the numbers and sports pools.

Extremely shrewd businessmen run the syndicates. They have made peaceful pacts among themselves on the division of territories and activities. Some of the violence associated with their activities is what they allow at lower levels to divert attention from their own top-level operations. Most results from moving in on local mobsters.

Exploiting every loophole in federal, state and local laws, with the aid of keen legal advice, the top men manage to stay just inside the law. They skillfully maintain a front of respectability.

They cleverly employ the courts to further their ends. In California, syndicate attorneys got court orders blocking the California Crime Commission's effort to

have Western Union discontinue wire service to bookies.

Syndicate leaders avoid any legal ties with the criminal by-products of their gambling networks. But it is the huge profits of gambling that finance the riskier businesses of prostitution, dope peddling, smuggling, organized murder, the loan shark racket and other extortionate practices.

Various authoritative reports have named several men as top operators. Frank Costello, Frank Erickson and Joe Adonis are high on the list. But the studies admit there are other big men who just aren't known. Hollywood's notorious Mickey Cohen is generally figured a small potato in this company.

Most of the personnel involved, though not necessarily the top men, are the grown up "young punks" of the prohibition era. Many are members of the former Capone gang. The younger members of the gangs and syndicates are wayward youths who have been well trained in the ways of crime by older hands.

The syndicate really became big-time during the war, while most citizens were pre-occupied with the fighting. Since then they have perfected their organization and consolidated their gains, taking advantage of the fact that any post-war era is likely to be lax in its attitude toward gambling and crime.

Crime experts credit the syndicates' new techniques of operation for a considerable part of their success. In addition to their cagey use of the courts and maintenance of a correct legal facade, they have gone in for:

Organized public relations activities and lobbying to sell the country and its public officials on legalized gambling. Their lobbies function in every state capital, striving to get laws rigged so their operations will be made easier—if not wholly legal. Thousands of local officials are on their payrolls, and there is evidence

their influence extends to Washington.

Bold and ruthless plots are hatched to smear public officials who dare to fight the syndicates.

Mayor Fletcher Bowron of Los Angeles describes this technique: "You can see their pattern of action in cities all over the country. They start organized whispering campaigns against honest city officials. They will do every-

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Shooting in Carthage Fatal

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 20.—(P)—A 34-year-old Carthage garage employee was held yesterday in connection with the fatal shooting of another Carthage man late Saturday night.

Authorities said an argument over an automobile repair job led to the shooting.

Killed was Harold Harmon. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney H. Tiffin Teters said Russell Me-

thing they can to make the police look inefficient and corrupt. They even manage to make good traffic officers look like brutes and bums with their slick tactics. They work out elaborate schemes to frame police and city officials in scandals."

Mayor Dorothy Lee of Portland, Ore., says that seven weeks after her election "slot machine operators in Portland sought to organize and launch a campaign to get me out of office, one way or another."

The California Crime Commission believes that 20 per cent of the annual take in the slot machine racket is spent for bribery and corruption of public authorities. It describes the efforts of syndicates to influence public activities as "the perfect blueprint for plutocratic gangster government."

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lugin surrendered to Highway Patrolmen and told them he fired the shots.

Teters said no charges had been filed, pending further investigation.

Teters quoted Melugin as saying Harmon approached him in a tavern and complained about a repair job that had been done in

a garage where Melugin worked. Teters said Melugin stated an argument and fight followed and that the shooting occurred outside the tavern by Melugin's pickup truck.

Aged Woman Dies
FREEMAN, Mo., March 20.—(P)—Cass county's oldest resident—101-year-old Mrs. Eliza Jane Bennett—died Saturday night at the home of a son, Louis Bennett.

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS,
this 1st day of March, A.D., 1950.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI
By Mrs. John S. Devine—Chairman.

ATTEST: With the Seal of said City:
J. M. BAILEY,
City Clerk and Secretary
to the Board of Registrars
of the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

(SEAL)

Two Fined \$25 For Speeding

Use of Sixteenth street and Kentucky avenue for a speedway cost the drivers of two motor vehicles \$25.00 each this morning, when they failed to appear in police court before Judge Harry O. Berry. They were R. D. Cook of rural route three, and V. A. Sutherland, 1824 East Ninth street, who forfeited their cash bonds.

The two were trailed from Sixteenth street and Grand avenue to Broadway and Kentucky avenue and then drove to Garst's Drive Inn, where they were picked up by the police. One was driving a truck, the other a Jeepster.

The police checked the two drivers as driving 40 miles per hour and over.

Community News from VERSAILLES

(MRS. J. W. PADGETT)

Cpl. Milton Arnold of Sherman A. F. B. Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., spent from Thursday until Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Arnold and brother, Dunn Hanks.

Miss Nona Carpenter, Buddy Hineman and Billy Williams all of Missouri university, spent the week-end in Versailles with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Carpenter and daughter, Dorris, Mr. and Mrs. August Hineman and Mrs. Joe Williams and daughter, Martha and Miss Lou Williams.

Mrs. Garland Quinn became critically ill Saturday and was taken to Jefferson City Monday where she entered St. Mary's hospital for surgery. Mr. Quinn is with her at the hospital.

Mrs. Miram McCollister, who fell some time ago and fractured her hip is still in a critical condition at her home. Mrs. McCollister spent several weeks at St. Mary's hospital in Jefferson City but was returned to her home where she is receiving treatments.

Mrs. A. F. Moon is seriously ill at her home on North Monroe street. She is being treated by Dr. A. J. Gunn and Dr. Ruth Kauffman of Versailles.

The Home Makers class of the Baptist church will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Wm. Arnold for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Clyde Moore is president of the class. Their study will be the 23rd and 24th chapters of Mathew.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee T. Simms had as their dinner guest Monday Lt. Col. Bert Smiley of near Stover. Lt. Smiley is leaving soon for Japan where he will be stationed two years. His wife and son will go to be with him in the near future.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve a turkey dinner Wednesday evening at the Civic club rooms beginning at 5:30. Proceeds will go to the church building fund.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Handley spent Saturday in Sedalia on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morrison and daughter, Kathy and Mrs. Gladys Colvin, spent the week-end in Independence with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bogue and children, Marilyn and Dicky.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dillon of Kansas City spent Sunday with Mrs. Dillons parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Allee.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mrs. Martha Stidham and family in Versailles.

Yvonne Buchanan student nurse at Deaconess hospital in St. Louis spent the week-end in Versailles with her mother, Mrs. Gene Bartman and Mr. Bartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelley and son, Roger Lee, of Boonville, spent the week-end in Versailles with

Waste Oil Burns



Waste oil on a water-filled moat about a Bayonne, N. J., refinery burns, tossing up a heavy, oily, black cloud across the sky. The fire burned out before nearby storage tanks were threatened. (AP Wirephoto)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lees and son, Phillip Wayne and Mrs. Sarah Kelley.

The Home Makers class of the Baptist church served dinner Thursday in the Civic club rooms for the M. F. A. annual banquet of the Cream Station Buyers of Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Leatherman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Padgett had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pidgeon and son, Gregory, of Sedalia and Mrs. C. J. Schlesselman of Cole Camp. Mr. O. L. Leatherman has been critically ill at his home the past week from a heart attack.

Mrs. Verna Birdsong of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Newkirk and Mrs. Ella Miller. Miss Maxine Newkirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Newkirk, spent several days last week in Kansas City visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whittle who sold their property last week to Mrs. George Koetting, have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Claude Lutman on South Oak street. Mr. and Mrs. Lutman will move to the Billy Dolstein property temporarily.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Huff and son, Jackie Lee, of Lee's Summit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Huff and family in Versailles.

The auditorium of the new Baptist church will be dedicated Sunday April 2nd. Dinner will be served at the noon hour.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Freeman of

Versailles will be 6:00 o'clock dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook of Tipton. Mrs. Freeman will attend the Victory club. She has been elected as one of the queens. Rev. Freeman visited with the sick and shut-ins. The Freemans are formerly of Tipton.

Tom Harrison of Jefferson City spent several days last week in Versailles with Mrs. Harrison and sons.

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The Pettis County 4-H Council will hold its quarterly meeting on Tuesday evening, March 28 at 8:00 p. m. The meeting will be held in the Assembly room at the courthouse.

Several events of immediate importance will be presented and discussed. These include making application for 4-H camp trips which are due in the State Club Office by May 1; Planning for the observance of Rural Life Sunday on May 21; 4-H Officers training meeting on April 8 and the 4-H Recreation night on April 15.

All 4-H community leaders and junior council members are urged to attend the council meeting as 100 percent participation in these meetings is one good way in which 4-H club work can be strengthened and promoted in the county.

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By J. R. Williams



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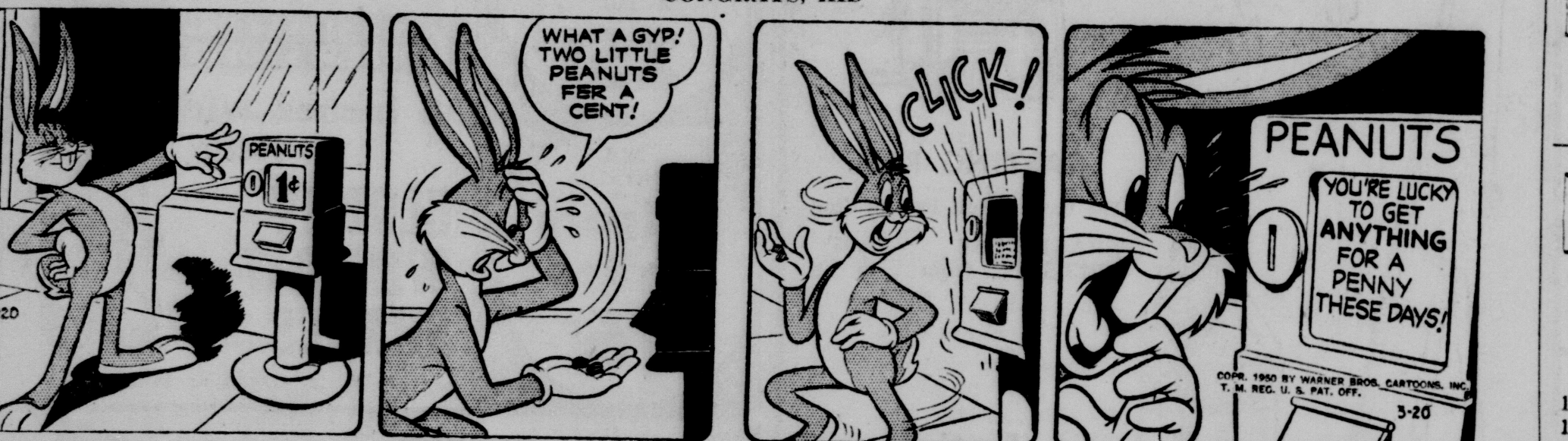
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

THE OLD FIGHT

BY EDGAR MARTIN



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STRIKE ONE

BY V. T. HAMLIN



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UP THE HILL

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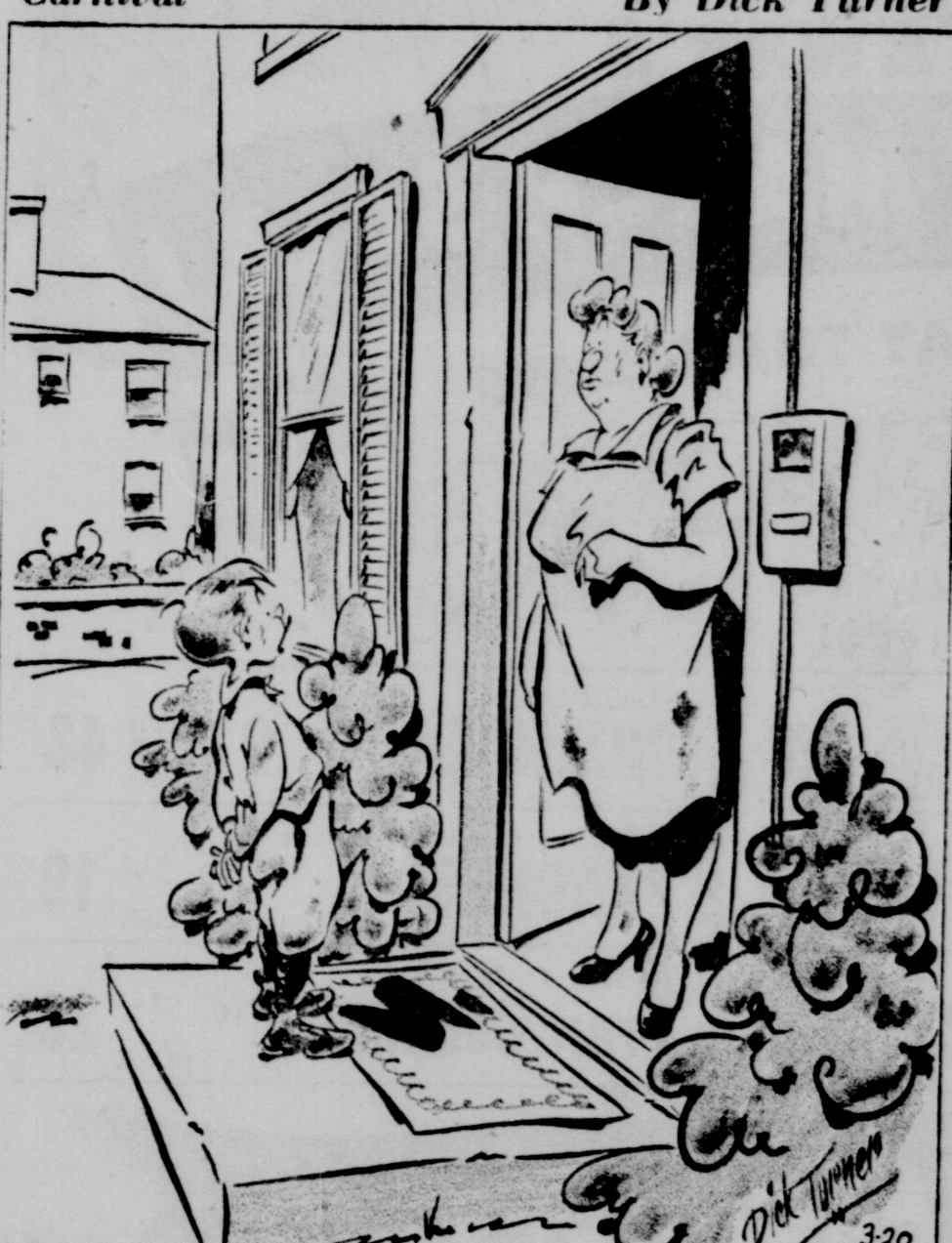
Funny Business

By Hershberger



Carnival

By Dick Turner



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African Antelope

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 Depicted antelope

8 It is found in Africa

13 Interstices

14 Eagle's nest

15 Weight measure

16 Unsuitable

18 Exist

19 Groove

20 Unite

21 Boy

22 While

23 Down

24 Fuel

27 Bound

29 Egyptian sun god

30 Measure of area

31 Preposition

32 Italian river

33 Seed vessels

35 Cut

38 Comparative suffix

39 Negative reply

40 Fruit drink

42 Venomous snake

47 Donkey

48 It is blackish— in color

49 Tapestry

50 Case of tools

51 Beer

53 Straddling

55 Snow vehicles

56 Reduced

VERTICAL

1 Persian ruler

2 Waken

3 Dispatched

4 Thus

5 Astringent

6 Poison

7 Measure of time

8 Cloy

9 Whirlwind

10 Russian river

11 Harangue

12 Paid attention

17 Portuguese (ab.)

25 Dry

26 Browns

27 Knocks lightly

28 Metal

33 Jewels

34 Trying experience

36 Within

37 Mailed

41 Rim

42 Vehicles

43 Correlative of either

44 Naughty child

45 Hasty

46 Italian city

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Bradley vs. Kansas U. in NCAA Playoff

Hundreds of Fans Seek Tickets For Game in K. C.

By Skipper Patrick

KANSAS CITY, March 20—(P)—The tournament-wise Bradley Braves throw their fast break against the University of Kansas' towering sophomores tonight in hopes of landing the fifth district berth in the Western NCAA basketball playoffs.

The winner gets into the western field with Baylor, U. C. L. A. and Brigham Young for the Friday and Saturday night games in Kansas City.

The game starting at 8 o'clock (CST) is a sellout. Hundreds of anxious customers, bearing "name your price" money, are seeking tickets from the scalpers.

Including standees, the Municipal Auditorium crowd will approximate 10,000.

Bradley, the Nation's No. 1 team in the final Associated Press poll, is favored by 3½ points. That's five fewer than five days ago and a Kansas win isn't beyond reason.

M. V. Champion

Bradley is the Missouri Valley Conference champion. Kansas, Nebraska and Kansas State shared the Big Seven Conference title, but a selection committee picked Kansas to meet Bradley in the district playoff.

Coach Forrest Anderson's Braves, a veteran outfit, lost in the finals of the National Invitational at New York Saturday night, 69-61. They've got 33 games (29-4) behind them this season.

Coach Phog Allen's Kansas Jayhawks, who won only 14 of 24, nevertheless captured 5 of their last 6 Big Seven Conference and their sophomores showed improvement every game.

Allen, after years of campaigning for 12-foot baskets to "give the short players a break", has come up with the tallest team in Big Seven history. The Kansas starters will average 6 feet 4½ inches, almost two more than Bradley.

Kansas will depend heavily on the scoring ability of Clyde Lovellette, 6 foot 8½ inch sophomore, who has rewritten the Big Seven scoring records.

A Top Record

Lovellette's 524 points in 24 games and 277 in 12 league tilts, averages of 21.8 and 23 points respectively, top anything on record for first year performances among major college players.

On the favorite side, Bradley has the advantage of experience and all-around team ability sparked by All-American Paul Unruh, 6-4 forward, and guard Gene Melchiorre, the nation's greatest little player at 5-8½.

Bradley never has participated in a Western NCAA playoff.

Allen, who has never gone more than three seasons since 108 without producing either a champion or co-titlist, is an old-timer in the west.

Kansas lost the NCAA finals to Indiana in 1940, played at Kansas City. The Jayhawks have been in the western finals twice, lost a play-off for third bid. Allen's men lost the 1936 Olympic western finals to Utah State.

Bobby Locke May Be Reinstated

NORWICH, Conn., March 20—(P)—Bobby Locke, the husky British Open golf champion from South Africa, has apologized to the Professional Golfers Association of America (PGA). His action might earn him at least \$25,000 before next January 1.

The indications today are that the PGA will reinstate him by April 15.

The sensational, flamboyant Locke, who climaxed a long feud with American golf officials last July by getting himself the heavenly earned \$24,327 in 1947—his first season in the rich United States, and \$29,010 in 1948.

He was doing all right last year until he decided to pass up several important bookings including the Inverness at Toledo, O., right after winning the British Open. That wasn't cricket, according to the PGA, for he was to have been the big attraction.

The fact that Locke apologized was reported here last night by Joe Donato, a PGA vice-president and Norwich golf club professional.

Donato said he had received a letter from Horton Smith, PGA secretary, which contained the news that Locke had complied with the requirements laid down for reinstatement by the PGA's tournament and executive committees.

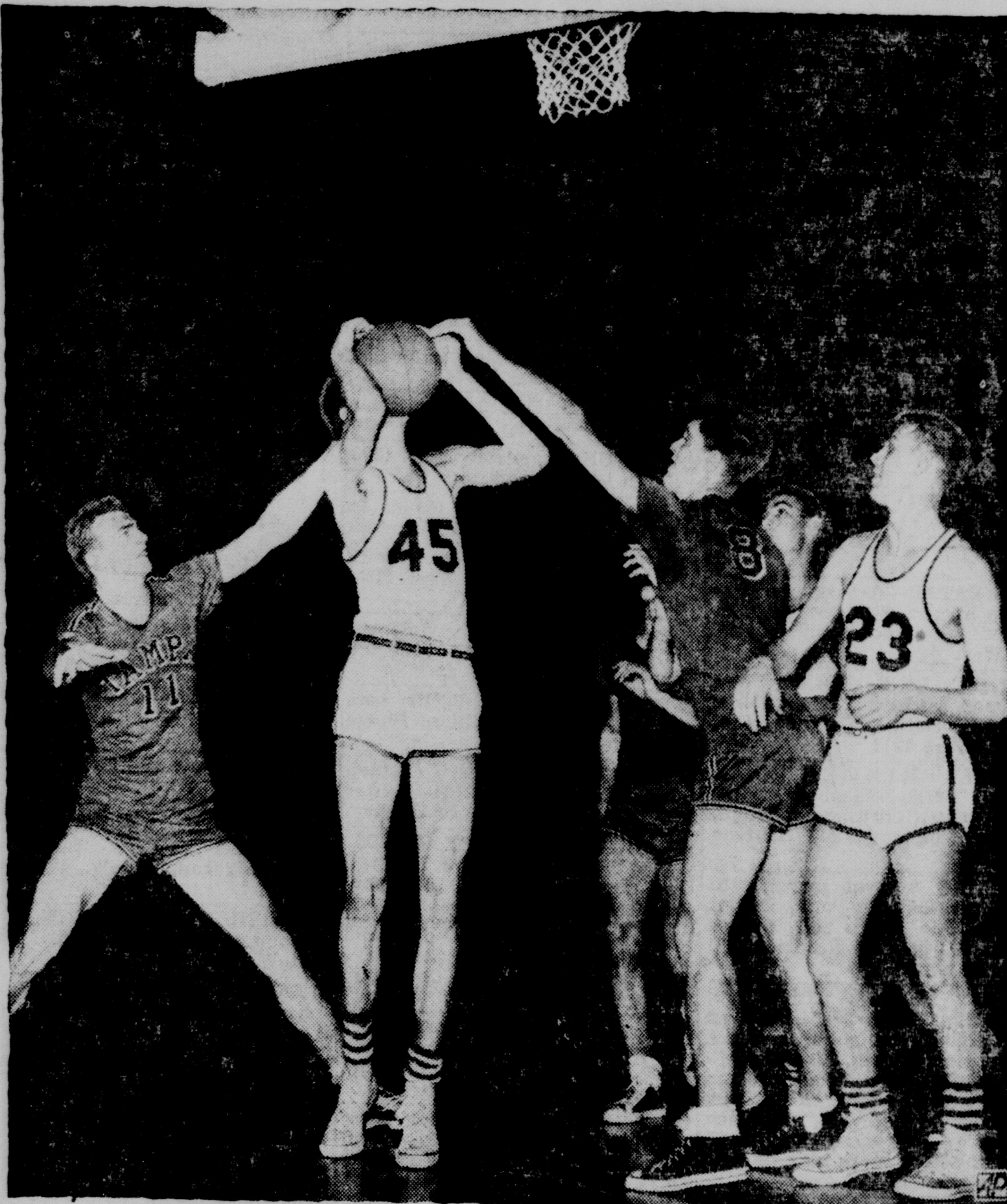
New Head Football Coach at Santa Clara

SANTA CLARA, Calif., March 20—(P)—Dick Gallagher, end coach and chief scout for the Cleveland Browns professionals, is new head football coach at Santa Clara.

He telephoned his acceptance late yesterday.

Len Casanova, who guided the Broncos to an Orange Bowl victory over Kentucky last season, resigned a month ago to become head coach at Pittsburgh. Gallagher, 41, was given a three year contract understood to be worth "approximately \$12,000 a year."

Finger Tip Control



Ed Christian (45), of Central College, Fayette, Mo., stops a rebound in his face but fails to gain undisputed possession of the ball in the NAIB basketball tournament game for third place at Kansas City, March 18. Christian touches the ball with his finger tips, as does Mac Williams (8), University of Tampa forward. Other identifiable players are Holland Applin (11), of Tampa, and Dean Ehlers (23) of Central. Central won, 80 to 67. (Associated Press Photo)

NAIB Drew a Record Crowd Of 58,240

Gross Gate Down From a Year Ago

KANSAS CITY, March 20—(P)—Indiana State, twice denied a title after reaching the finals of the National Intercollegiate Basketball (NIAB) tournament, finally carried home the championship.

The Indians beat East Central (Ada) Oklahoma State, 61-57, in finals of the 12th annual tournament here Saturday night.

Little Central College of Fayette, Mo., surprise quintet of the 32-team, 6-day meet, won third place by beating University of Tampa's all sophomore-freshman outfit, 80-67.

Experience paid off for the Indians who lost in the 1946 finals to Southern Illinois and again in 1948 to University of Louisville.

9 Seniors

Indiana State's ten-man roster included nine seniors and one sophomore.

The tournament drew a record crowd of 58,240 for the 32 games. Last year 55,240 paid at the gate. The gross gate was down from a year ago, \$73,500 compared to \$73,156, mainly because the cheaper seats were more popular.

Lenny Rzeszewski of Indiana State was voted the tournament's most valued player.

He shared first team all-tournament berths with Mitch Cochran, Central Missouri; Claudell Overton, East Central Oklahoma; Mac Williams, Tampa, and Stacey Howell, Indiana star of East Central Oklahoma.

On the second team were Don McDonald, Indiana State; Hal Haskins, Hamline; Joe Pukach, Davis and Elkins; Dean Ehlers, Central Missouri, and Dan Dimich, Indiana State.

Coach Bob Vanatta's Central Eagles, who came to the tournament with a 26-3 record, easily enough could have been in the finals. The N.C.A.U. champion lost its semi-final game Friday to East Central Oklahoma by blowing a lead in the last minute of play.

Good Performance

The Eagles won the hearts of the 9,700 fans in the finals, however, by putting on its best performance to beat the long shooting Tampa Spartans. There was no half-hearted performance as

Jack Burke Leads Golf Tournament

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 20—(P)—Jack Burke, still unspoiled by fame, got out front in the Jacksonville golf open on two straight rounds of 67—five under par.

Though he's under 27 years old, Burke is proving on the winter tour he is a great campaigner and he will be hard to beat out for the top \$2,000 in today's final round. Burke has 207 after 54 holes, coming back from a shaky opening 73 on the 6,508-yard Hyde Park course.

Burke may have the most trouble holding off two hotshots of the game, National Open Champion Cary Middlecoff and PGA champ Sam Snead. They reached 210 each.

All Besselink, 25-year old Detroit pro, hung right in there with 208 on his third round 71. Ed Furgol of Royal Oak, Mich., came into the scene with 67 for 209.

Tied with Snead and Middlecoff at 210 were veterans George Fazio of Washington, D. C., Henry Ransom of St. Andrew, Ill., and Skip Alexander of Knoxville, Tenn.

AAU Committee Picks Tennis Champ

KANSAS CITY, March 20—(P)—The Missouri Valley A. A. U. registration committee has declared Mrs. Lucille Land Davidson, the 1949 National Public Courts tennis champion, a professional.

Mrs. Davidson, current number 1 in the Missouri Valley, lives at Lee's Summit, Mo.

Theo R. Bland, committee member from Kansas City, said Mrs. Davidson had lost her amateur standing because of her physical education work at the Raytown, Mo., high school. Mrs. Davidson said she held a contract as a classroom instructor with the school.

Sunday's U. S. Hockey League Results
By The Associated Press
Louisville 8, Minneapolis 8 (tie).
Kansas City 10, St. Paul 4.
(Regular season play ended Sunday).

sometimes comes up in consolation games.

Cochran and Ehlers led the Eagles hot-shot attack that had the Missourians ahead, 46-33 at the half. Cochran, high scorer of the tournament with 94 points, got 29 points, Ehlers 15.

Eight of ten Central players scored as all of Vanatta's players came through with nice performances.

Second Night Of National AAU Tourney

So Far The Spotlight is on George King

DENVER, March 20—(P)—George King, the nation's top college scorer, and other collegians held the national AAU basketball spotlight today, but their fling probably will be brief.

If past AAU performances hold true, the college-bolstered teams will begin falling before the seasoned favorites who go into action tonight, second night of the meet.

King flipped in 14 points last night with the Dayton, Ohio, all stars as they routed the Kokomo, Ind., all stars 99-53. But the Morris Harvey College star didn't look any better than several Dayton team mates—Bob Dineen, Wilbur Woods, Bob Anderson, Ken Watson and Billy McNay. Their brilliant offensive display against a good Indiana five tabbed the Dayton team as one of the tourney's dark horses.

Top Scoring Mark

King in the past collegiate season rang up 967 points with the Charleston, W. Va., school for an average of 31.19 tallies per game. Both figures set new national single season scoring marks for college players.

Most of the 10 games yesterday and the 11 contests today matched college teams playing under their own name or under the banner of an AAU club.

Seeded teams make their first appearance tonight. Second seeded Bartlesville, Okla., Phillips 66 Oilers play the Cedar Falls, Iowa, Amvets. Third seeded Denver Chevrolets meet St. Louis Shearer Motors.

Today's Pairings Include

Portland, Ore. (Bradford Clothiers) vs. Hesston, Kas. (King Motors) (12:30 p.m., CST).

Warrensburg, Mo., (Riggles Plaza Bowl) vs. Sioux City, Ia. (Jamos) (2 p.m., CST).

Billings, Mont., Stockmen vs. Oklahoma Baptist U., Shawnee (2 p.m., CST).

Arkansas State Tchrs., Conway vs. Hastings, Nebr., College (5 p.m., CST).

Pro Basketball At A Glance

By The Associated Press
National Association
Sunday night's results:
Washington 79, Tri-City 77.
Rochester 97, Baltimore 66.
St. Louis 64, Minneapolis 67.
Chicago 80, St. Louis 64.
St. Paul 72, Anderson 67.
American League (Playoffs)
Scranton 60, Wilkes-Barre 59 (Scranton leads best-of-three series, 1-0).

soph. Mo., vs. Harvill-Byrd, Little Rock.

9:10 a.m.—Iowa Success School, Ottumwa, vs. Dons, Kansas City, Kas.

11:30 a.m.—Santa Fe, Topeka, Kas., vs. Kiowa, Kas.

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First round championship bracket:
2:10 p.m.—Little Dixie Queens, McAlester, Okla., vs. Blues, Atlanta, Ga.

3:20 p.m.—Green Waves, Kansas City, vs. Generals, Nashville, Tenn.

4:30 p.m.—Cardinals, Okmulgee Okla., vs. Bucklin, Mo.

Other Sunday results included:
Mesquite, Tex., high school 19, St. Francis, St. Joseph, Mo., 12.
Gasoline Alley, Marshalltown, Ia., 36, Harvill-Byrd, Little Rock, Ark., 17.

Goetz, St. Joseph, Mo., 39, Kiowa, Kas., 15.

Today's Pairings Include:
First round consolation bracket:
8 a.m.—St. Francis of St. Jo-

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Sunday's Exhibition Baseball
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Boston (A) 10, New York (A) 7.
Cleveland vs. Oakland, rain (morning).
St. Louis "B" (N) 6, New York "B" (A) 2.
Philadelphia (A) 8, Brooklyn 2.
Baltimore (IL) 7, Philadelphia "B" (A) 4.
Detroit (A) 4, Washington 1.
Philadelphia (N) 3, Boston (N) 2.
St. Louis (N) 4, Cincinnati 2.
San Francisco (PCL) 5, Cleveland 0 (afternoon).
Hollywood (PCL) 12, Chicago (A) 2.
St. Louis (A) 10, New York (N) 8 (10 innings).
Sacramento (PCL) 7, St. Louis "B" (A) 3.
Pittsburgh (N) 7, Chicago (N) 2.

Today's Games
Washington vs. Boston (A) at Sarasota, Fla.
Chicago (A) vs. San Francisco (PCL) at San Francisco.
Cleveland vs. Los Angeles (PCL) at Fullerton, Calif.
New York (A) vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla.
Memphis (SA) vs. Philadelphia (A) at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Hollywood (PCL) vs. St. Louis (A) at Burbank, Calif.
Cincinnati vs. Boston (N) at Bradenton, Fla.
Chicago (N) vs. Oakland (PCL) at Oakland, Calif.
St. Louis "B" vs. Cincinnati (N) at Tampa, Fla.
New York (N) vs. Pittsburgh at San Bernardino, Calif.
Philadelphia (N) vs. St. Louis (N) at St. Petersburg, Fla.
New York "B" (N) vs. University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

Big League Training Camp Briefs

MIAMI, Fla., March 20—(P)—

The New York Yankees are taking no chances with Joe Dimaggio, their \$100,000-a-year piece of bric a brac.

The Yankee Clipper sat out his second straight game yesterday as the Boston Red Sox won their second of three exhibition games with the New Yorkers, 10-7.

Dimaggio picked up a charity horse against the Dodgers Friday. Rather than aggravate it, he did not see any regular action although he took part in the warm-up.

Shows Good Hustle

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20—(P)—Manager Leo Durocher is eyeing the veteran Nap Reyes for possible infield utility duty with the New York Giants.

The hustling Cuban, who once understudied Bill Terry at first base, is showing the kind of hustle Leo likes. Jask Harshman is in line for the regular first base post but Reyes is looking handy around the bag.

To Undergo an X-ray

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 20—(P)—Mal Malette, the Brooklyn Dodgers' big rookie southpaw from the west coast, will undergo an x-ray examination of his ailing shoulder tomorrow at Vero Beach.

Malette, picked up in the draft after getting rave notices from

Hollywood manager Fred Haney, complained of a sore shoulder yesterday. Manager Burt Shotton ordered it to be looked into immediately.

Pitcher Tries For Comeback

SAN BERNARDINO, California, March 20—(P)—Pitcher Hal Gregg trying for a comeback with the Pittsburgh Pirates, is the delight of Manager Billy Meyer today. Gregg accomplished a great deal in his comeback effort as he turned in a sparkling performance while the Bucs were beating the Chicago Cubs 7-2 at Los Angeles yesterday. He worked five and two-thirds innings, giving up only four hits, walking three and fanning five.

Hopes to Obtain Pitcher

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20—(P)—General manager Frank Lane of the Chicago White Sox is still hopeful of obtaining first baseman Mickey Vernon from Cleveland.

At one time, Lane nearly closed the deal after the Indians' Hank Greenberg had declared Luke Easter, the giant Negro, as the Tribe's first baseman of his choice. But Manager Lou Boudreau said "Let's wait and see about Easter." The Vernon transaction then fell through.

The Sox have three first basemen on the roster—Charley Kress, Herm Reich and Gordon Goldsberry—but not one of them has displayed the hitting and fielding steadiness desired.

Red Sox Entertain Nats

SARASOTA, Fla., March 20—(P)—The Boston Red Sox, winners in six of eight Grapefruit league starts, entertain the Washington Senators today at Payne field. Rookies Jim Suckeche and Jim McDonald are due to face the Nats. The Soxers split a week-end series with the New York Yankees, losing 15-9 Saturday and winning 10-7 yesterday.

Hurled Hitless Ball

FULLERTON, Calif., March 20—(P)—If it's any consolation to

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT
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Cleveland's Indians, pitcher Bob Lemon looked wonderful yesterday. He hurled hitless ball for five innings and gave up only two walks.

As for the rest of the fumble-footed Tribesmen in on the 5-0 pasting handed out by the San Francisco Seals, that's another story. They committed eight errors during the nine-inning exhibition at San Francisco, handing the Seals four unearned runs as a gift.

4 Homers for Browns

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20—(P)—The St. Louis Browns made four errors against the New York Giants yesterday, but they also hit four home runs to win a 10-inning game, 10-9.

Sherman Lollar greeted Giant pitcher Kirby Hage with a homer in the tenth. The other home runs were by Dick Kokos, Chuck Grant and Kenny Wood.

Cards Win 4-2

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. March 20—(P)—Howard Pollet, who was a long time in coming to contract terms with the St. Louis Cardinals, made his first start in a game yesterday against Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla. He was touched for the only Cincinnati runs.

The Cards won 4-2.

Red Munger, also making his first start for the Cardinals, retired nine of the ten men he faced. Ken Johnson gave up four hits in his four-inning stint. Manager Eddie Dyer planned to use Ellis Deal and Gerald Staley against the Philadelphia Phils here today, and maybe Al Brazier if his sore arm feels any better.

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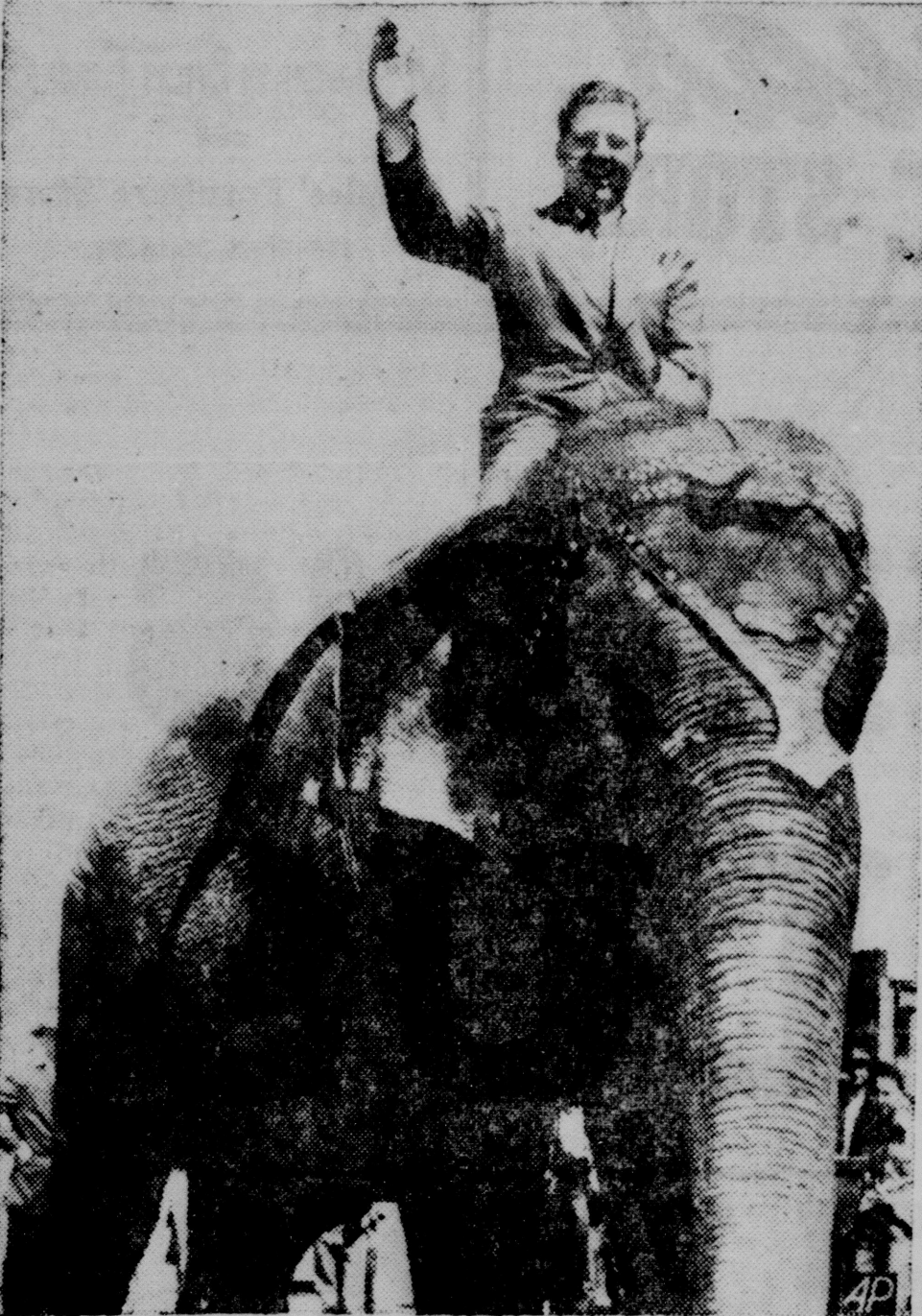
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Led From Court After Conviction



Mrs. Yvette Madsen is led downstairs from Frankfurt, Germany, courtroom by her attorney, Elmo Gower, after being sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for the murder of her air force husband, Lt. Andrew E. Madsen. The three-man American occupation court found the 22-year-old Brooklyn-born mother of two "guilty as charged" of the shooting of her husband after a gay party last October 20. (AP Wirephoto)

Riding High



Rev. W. H. Alexander, candidate for the Oklahoma Republican nomination for U. S. Senate, hitches a ride at Hugo, Okla., on an elephant—his party's traditional symbol. He rode the lumbering beast in a parade opening Hugo's annual circus round-up honoring 400 circus folks from eight shows which have winter headquarters there. (AP Wirephoto)

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



SALOON SMASHING CRUSADER was Carry A. Nation, seen with her famous hatchet. The Twentieth Century came in—in Kansas, at least—accompanied by the sounds of smashed mirrors, broken bottles and glasses, and chopped saloon furniture—all the target of the righteous wrath of this spunky, Kentucky-born foe of John Barleycorn. It was in Wichita, Kan., in 1900 that Carry Nation began her self-imposed task to abolish the saloon. At first, she used rocks, a cane and her fists—along with ringing verbal denunciations—in her battle. Later, for more effective destruction, she took along the hatchet which became her trademark. Spurred by success in Kansas, Carry moved on to Nebraska and other states, even going as far east as New York.

Boys Lead Cops to Slayer



A cave-dwelling slayer who had eluded police for three years was arrested at St. Paul, Minn., on a tip from these boys, James Lewis (left) and James Radek. They had seen a picture of the fugitive, William Nesbitt, in a newspaper. Nesbitt had been convicted of murdering Floyd H. Parker, Los Angeles, in 1936. He escaped from the South Dakota prison in 1946. (AP Wirephoto)

Hold Woman Who Had Missing Children

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 20.—

A 23-year-old woman who, police said, had two missing children in her room, is being held here on a child-entice charge.

A baby-sitter caring for the two children, a girl, 6, and a boy,

she placed them in bed and had returned to her own apartment momentarily.

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The Thimble Bu Club celebrated the 37th anniversary recently. The charter members were entertained by the other members of the club at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Fischer. Charter members still belonging to the club are: Mrs. John Hoffman, Mrs. Henry Fischer, Mrs. William Gehlken, Mrs. John Pope and Mrs. G. W. Weber. The club was organized on March 7, 1913, in the home of Mrs. John Pope, where a number of friends had gathered to celebrate Mrs. Pope's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Dohrman returned Wednesday from a trip of three months through Arizona, Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. O'Neal attended the Y.F.A. banquet at the Marshall high school recently.

Mrs. Keith Tolson and sons returned recently from a trip to points in Kansas and Oklahoma. Mrs. Tolson made the trip with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Zinn. On the return trip, Mr. Tolson met her at Salina, Kas., and they returned together.

On Thursday evening the W. O.C. of the Presbyterian church met at the apartment of Mrs. W. S. Hanley for a pot luck supper. The Men's Fellowship Club of the Presbyterian church met for supper at the church Thursday night. Sixteen members were present.

The W.M.U. of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Glenn Widder on Thursday evening. A contributed supper was served. The Rev. C. A. McClure gave an interesting talk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans observed their 60th wedding anniversary with a family dinner at their home Sunday. Their children and a few relatives were present. Those attending were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Long and sons, Dick and John of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Evans and daughter, Roberta and Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Margaret McConerghy, Mrs. Rosa Lynch and daughter, Miss Marjorie Lynch and Rosalie Finley.

The Priscilla Guild met Friday

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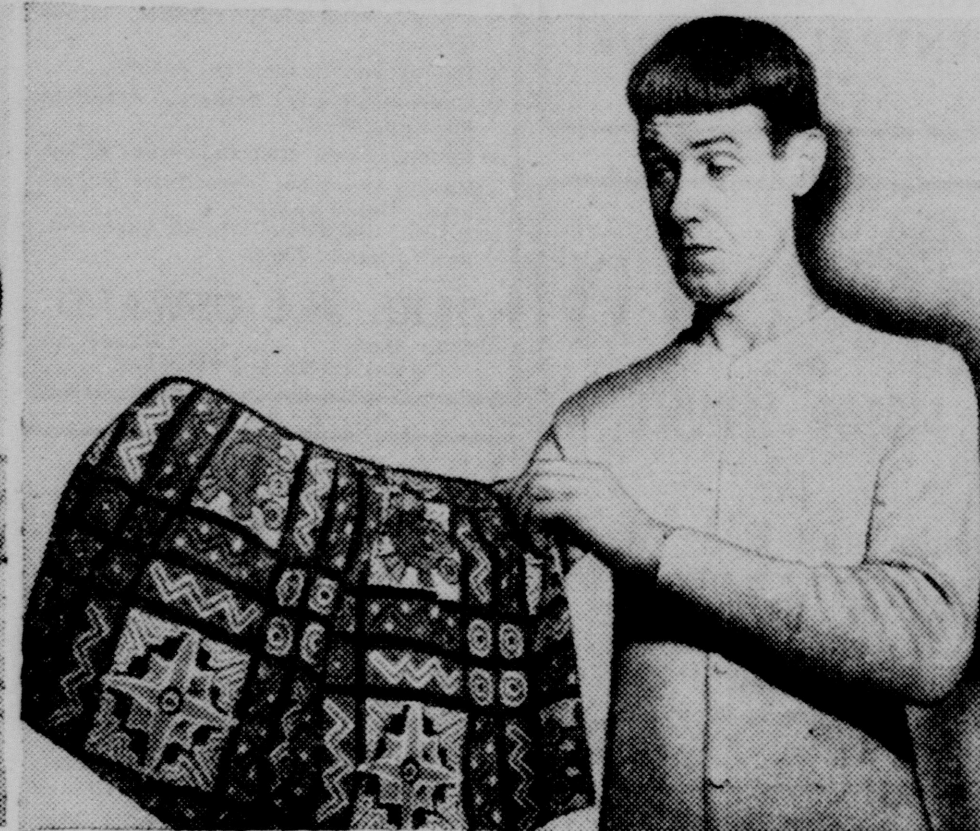
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It's Spring! This delightful season not only turns young men's fancies to thoughts of love. Here comedian Ish Kabibble of the Kay Kyser television show demonstrates some other typical spring-time escapades. . . .



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evening in the Lutheran church basement. During the election of officers, Mrs. Merle Kuecker was elected president; Mrs. Elmer L. Eckhoff, vice president; Mrs. Elfred Becker, treasurer, and Mrs. Lester Vogelonecer, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartman celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday. Seven children, eight grandchildren and one great grandson were present. Fred Kothe, one of the attendants at the wedding 50 years ago, was also present. Many attended the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dillon

and Shirley and Mary were supper guests Saturday night in the Ray Dillion's home in Green Ridge.

Mrs. George Henley and Mary Joe spent the week-end in Kansas City with Mr. Henley, who is in the hospital.

Fred Luetjin and James and Robert spent the week-end in Kansas City with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Luetjin and Carol. Miss Jane Dillon returned home Saturday, after spending a week with Mrs. M. C. Hackler, who is in the hospital at Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sewell and

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sewell of Kansas City spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ora Beck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grace and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Beck and Floyd spent Sunday in Warsaw with Mr. Grace's mother and brother.

Tracy Haggard of Marshall

spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Gracie Noel and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hemme and baby and Helen Shay were in Marshall Saturday.

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family of Kansas City spent Sunday with his mother. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pointer, David and J. W. and Clyde Borchers, all of Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Youst and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn spent Monday in Excelsior Springs, where Mr. Hearn will get a check-up at the hospital there. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sinder and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and son, Linder, went to Marshall Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. Linder and son visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shady Nightwine and Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman and son visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Donnelly.

Mrs. C. R. Parsons and daughter, Carolyn of Warrensburg were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Killion and family.

Mrs. Nannie Payne and daughter, Miss Sarah and son, Ernest and Mrs. R. S. Glick of Stockholm, N. D., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Menegali.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Denny of Richmond and son, Denny's mother, Mrs. J. E. Berry, who has been visiting in the Denny home, spent Saturday here with Mrs. Berry's sister, Mrs. W. S. Hanley and Mr. Hanley and her brother, C. B. Ray and Mrs. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Parsons returned home Friday, after

spending a month's vacation in Texas and Mexico.

Mrs. Paul Wylie spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Parsons of St. Louis were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Parsons and her father, Edgar Daniel.

Mrs. John Truce and children of Nelson spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Scott.

Mrs. Al Dierking entertained with a birthday party for her son, Dennis Ray, who was a year old, March 5. Those present were: Joyce Elaine and Brenda Kay Meyer, Mrs. Ray Meyer, Mrs. Henry Dierking, Mrs. Jack Krause, Mrs. Hazel Buie and children, Betty, Sue and Gene, Mrs. Edna Nelson and children, Eddy, Phillip, and "Butch," Mrs. Arthur Krause and children, Margie, Maurice D., Mary, Donna Kay, Carolyn and Robert, Mrs. Jr.

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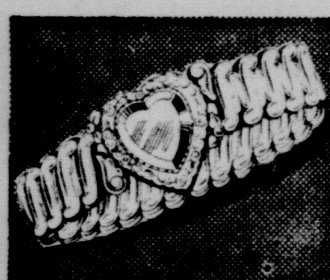
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• The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Big Business Begins Early Drive Against Truman 'Socialism'

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON—A quiet campaign by big business to defeat the Truman administration was launched in New York the other day under the auspices of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Chairman by Carrol E. French of Standard Oil of New Jersey, a group of big business executives discussed plans for a propaganda drive through employee magazines and by putting slips into employees' pay envelopes.

Chief speaker at the closed-door meeting was Lemuel Boulware, vice-president of the giant General Electric corporation and former vice-chairman of the War Production Board. Boulware announced that General Electric was actively campaigning for the Taft-Hartley act, against unions and, above all, against socialism.

"Roosevelt, Truman, Reuther and their ilk are the avowed enemies of American business," Boulware told his fellow executives in brief. "They consider the American businessman a thief, a cheat and a coward. The time has come for the American businessman to stand up and take a stand for what he believes in."

"Therefore, General Electric," he said, "is taking a strong stand against socialism which we regard as a more serious menace than Communism."

Boulware, who is in charge of G.E.'s labor relations, also stated that no union on a national level is any good.

Business executives were also urged to give as much circulation as possible to "The Road Ahead," written by bitter Roosevelt-hater John T. Flynn.

NOTE—Anti-Trumanites are putting on such a strong campaign for Flynn's book that it's been required reading for many of the girls at the swank Holton Arms school in Washington.

Irrepressible McCarthy

Republicans have been getting more and more embarrassed over the antics of harum-scarum Senator Joe McCarthy of Wisconsin. After claiming 207 pro-Communists and disloyalists were on the State Department's payroll, smiling Joe hasn't named a single State Department official who was a pro-Communist and made the charge stick.

The trouble with Joe is that he rushes into situations where he doesn't have the facts, just as he rushed into his own election campaign in Wisconsin without resigning from the court of appeals. As a result of using the judicial bench as a campaign forum, the board of bar commissioners lodged the following serious charge against him before the supreme court:

"It is difficult to conceive of any conduct upon the part of a presiding judge which would bring judges and courts into greater disrepute and contempt than the conduct of the defendant (McCarthy) challenged in this proceeding."

"He, as an officer of the court, knowingly and willfully, placed the gratification of his personal ambition above the interests of the public and the rights of litigants."

"The defendant, by his conduct, chose to defy the rules of ethical conduct prescribed by the Constitution, the laws of the state of Wisconsin, and the members of the profession, in order to attain a selfish personal advantage. The gratification of his ambition was in defiance of the declared public policy and laws of the state of Wisconsin."

The Wisconsin supreme court held that McCarthy was guilty of the above charge, but for some reason failed to disbar him. This caused the irrepressible gentleman, who now flings charges at the State Department, to smirk at the board of bar commissioners as follows:

"Their actions are a disgrace to every honest, decent lawyer in the state of Wisconsin and they should resign."

A Different Republican

In direct contrast to the way Senator McCarthy is rocking the foreign-relations boat is another Republican, Governor Warren of California.

Out at the University of California, most of the faculty threatened to quit rather than sign an oath demanded of them by McCarthy-minded members of the board of regents. Just as McCarthy wants to dig into every organization a State Department official ever belonged to, even in his youth, and no matter how patriotic his recent record, so University of California regents demanded that University of California faculty members sign an oath which delves back into the past.

Faculty members are willing to take the same oath of allegiance by the president of the United States or the governor of California, and Governor Warren emphatically supported them in this. As a member of the board of regents, furthermore, he voted against the unfair oath demanded by other regents.

Thousands of educators all over the country are watching for the outcome of this dispute.

NOTE—Governor Warren's fairness in matters similar to the above is one reason why he gets almost as many Democratic votes as Republicans.

Col. McCormick Abroad
Good will for America got a jolt recently at a stormy press conference in Bombay, India, a key spot in the cold war.

Fifty Indian correspondents gathered around Col. Robert McCormick, publisher of the Chicago Tribune, and were astounded to hear his blithe

announcement that all he knew about Kashmir was that it was the home of fine rugs.

A reporter asked him a question on the hottest subject in that part of the world, the flaming dispute between India and Pakistan.

Colonel McCormick replied he had not even heard of the dispute until 24 hours before he landed in India. This caused an Indian correspondent to ask sarcastically:

"Isn't this type of general ignorance responsible for the American lack of prestige in the Far East?"

U.S. Shipping Heads for Trouble

No storm at sea will be able to match the storm that is blowing up inside the maritime industry.

The unions haven't run up the storm flags as yet, but the seamen are restless and muttering. They are threatening to strike against the Taft-Hartley act which has doomed their hiring halls and could shipwreck their unions.

Reason for the gathering storm clouds is a National Labor Relations Board decision, upheld by the courts, that hiring halls are illegal under the Taft-Hartley law. This means the end of a hiring system that has lifted seamen out of waterfront dives and gutters and placed them on an equal footing with other workmen.

If open mutiny on the waterfront is now to be averted, the next step is up to Congress. Accordingly, a Senate subcommittee on labor-management relations has given this problem top priority, has already written a tentative report—not yet released to the public.

In this unpublished report, the plight of American seamen before the advent of hiring halls is bluntly described as follows:

"Originally the seaman in search of a berth went to the dock where he knew a ship had arrived or was readying for sail," the report explains. "The shipping master then selected the required personnel from among the group who showed up. This simple, hit-or-miss method of employment, known as 'hiring off the dock,' created a large pool of unemployed labor immediately in competition with one another, with the certain results of discrimination, favoritism, kickbacks and depressed wages. . . . Employee recruitment was all too frequently based on favoritism and bribery rather than on ability and character."

In those days, private shipping masters—known as "crimps" in waterfront jargon—supplied the shipowners with seamen.

"Employment centers were invariably sailors' boardinghouses, saloons, brothels or restaurants, which were frequently owned or controlled by the shipping masters," the report continues. "Once in the clutches of the crimp, the sailor might lose the accumulated wages of many months at sea, or, if unemployed for long, would be so debt-ridden by the many extortions of the establishment that most of his out-bound wages would be mortgaged in advance. There was little hope for protest. The sailor's employment was controlled."

This is the system that the Taft-Hartley law is now forcing back on the maritime industry.

Sick Shipping Industry

However, this is just one symptom of a sick industry. The unpublished Senate report also takes a sour view of the whole shipping industry.

"Again, as after World War I, the economic position of the American shipping industry and the condition of maritime trade have deteriorated to a degree which threatens the national interest," declares the report. "Prolonged unemployment is increasingly the grim fact of the maritime worker's life."

At the same time, our merchant fleet has been mothballed or sold on the auction block to foreign bidders. Our active oceangoing vessels have decreased from 4,221 to fewer than 1,235—actually less than the prewar figure for all ships except tankers. Coastal shipping is even worse off. In the prewar period, 20 companies operated 239 vessels. Now 10 companies operate 48 vessels. Meanwhile, only 3 per cent of the shipping tonnage now under construction will fly the American flag.

"The merchant marine is too vital to national defense to permit disregard of the unsolved economic problems of this sick industry and the threatened disruption of its labor relations," warns the Senate report. "Industry should secure adequate protection and a fair return for its operation; and, in turn, maritime workers should have the dignity and protection afforded other organized American workers. Unless these objectives are attained, the entire structure of our great merchant marine is immediately and seriously threatened."

NOTE—In connection with this same problem, the Senate subcommittee is also investigating "gangsterism and racketeering" on the New York waterfront where longshoremen are now reported in the hands of gangsters and politicians.

• So They Say

This is 1950's major issue: Do the American people still believe in government by the people . . . or in setting up a government which tells the people what they shall do?

—Sen. Robert A. Taft (R.) of Ohio.

In the few days since I resumed the presidency I have found most members of the Kuomintang (Nationalist Party) selfish. They care only for personal interests and those of their cliques.

—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

It just doesn't make sense for the government to put out money for soil conservation with one hand and, with the other, put out price support money to farmers who deliberately abuse the land.

—Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan.

With my responsibility for the readiness of the fleet for war, I certainly cannot say that the forces we now have are completely adequate.

—Admiral Forrest P. Sherman, chief of naval operations.

We are struggling against an adversary that is deadly serious. We are in a position where we are playing for keeps. Moreover, we are in a situation where we could lose without ever firing a shot.

—State Secretary Dean Acheson.

The battleship is as dead as the dodo in its original role as the major day fighter of the seas.

—Adm. Wm. H. P. Blandy (Ret.).

• Just Town Talk

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ON WHICH Was
A SIGN
"A BLIND Man
IS DRIVING
THIS CAR"
THE YOUNG Man
COULD HARDLY Believe
IT COULD Be True
AND HE Spent
MOST OF The
AFTERNOON
FOLLOWING HIM
HE COULDN'T Understand
IT

THE CAR Obedyed All
TRAFFIC RULES
STOPPED AND Started
PROPERLY
AND ALL That
"MUST BE Radar
CONTROLLED"
THOUGHT THE
YOUTH
"BUT IT'S Wonderful"
AND NOT Until
LATE In The
AFTERNOON
DID HE Learn
THE "BLIND MAN"
WAS A Salesman
FOR VENETIAN Blinds
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by

E. STANLEY JONES



John 16:33; I John 5:4—5; Isa. 41:10; 43:5

EVERY FOE YOU FACE IS A DEFEATED FOE

When you will to be well the whole of the universe of reality is then behind your will. And the whole of the universe of reality wills your release, and provides for that release. This fact is summed up in the words of Jesus: "In the world ye shall have tribulation; but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world." Here is an open-eyed frankness that does not deny the fact of a world of tribulation in which we must live—this world of tribulation which lies around us and in us. And yet, after looking at it, with all its brutality and its power to hurt, He says: "Be of good cheer; I have overcome the world."

In other words: every foe you face is a defeated foe. That brings us to the fourth step: (4) Remember that every fear, every trouble, every sickness, every sin you may face has been and is defeated and overcome by the One you follow—Christ. When fears and sicknesses and sins come upon you to overwhelm you and to beat you into submission by their very overbearing presence, just calmly look each one in the eye and say: "I am not afraid of you. You have been and are decisively beaten by my Lord. Will you bend your neck? There, I knew it! The footprint of the Son of God is upon your neck." This confidence is your starting point; nothing can touch you that hasn't touched Him, and that hasn't been defeated by Him; and if you open your life to His power every ill can be defeated again by you through His grace. You need not be defeated by anything unless you consent to be. If you throw your will on the side of victory, then the whole of the Universe of Reality throws itself behind your will, releases it, reinforces it, redeems it—and you! You are caught up in a tide of victory, and nothing can stop it except your refusal to co-operate. Paul could say, "I do not frustrate the grace of God!"—I do not block its redemption, nor frustrate its healing purposes. Therefore an Almighty Will worked within his will, and he arose a rhythmic, harmonious, adequate person. You can be the same.

O God, my Father, I have closed my heart to Thy healing and to Thy deliverance. I have wrapped myself within myself—afraid of salvation! I have protected my lungs—from air! My heart—from love! My aesthetic nature—from beauty! Myself—from Thee! Forgive me. Amen.

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The Doctor Says—

Employment of Handicapped Growing, But Still a Problem

This is the first of four columns dealing with the Easter Seal Campaign

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.
Written For NEA Service

The problem of earning a living is a serious matter for those who have been crippled by illness or accident or were born with some physical handicap. Those who have some physical defect or deformity, however, are just as much in need of a job as anyone else.

It has been estimated that more than 350,000 children in North America are crippled to a greater or lesser degree. Add to this the grownups who have been injured in the war or by accident or disease, and the importance of the problem becomes obvious.

There are many steps which can be taken to combat the effects of a physical handicap, but this particular discussion is devoted to the need for providing suitable occupations for the handicapped and the progress, which has already been made in that direction.

Some years ago many industrial organizations automatically refused to consider the application of those who showed any signs

of crippling or deformity. Fortunately, this is no longer true. Now many firms make a special effort to fit people who are moderately handicapped by disease of injury into positions where they are not held back by whatever difficulty is present.

This present-day outlook toward handicapped people is gradually spreading. More and more of those who have suffered the ill effects of tuberculosis of the bones and joints, infantile paralysis, the loss of a limb from operation or injury, and heart disorders are able to find satisfactory positions and do a good job in them.

Needs Opportunity

The crippled person has the same feelings and needs as anyone else. He or she should not be discriminated against except insofar as the disability prevents performance of certain kinds of duties. It is cruel and inhumane to condemn someone to a life of inactivity when it is possible for him or her to do many kinds of work quite well.

Find the Winner



FINGERPRINTS Don't Lie

By Rupert Hughes
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THE STORY: Refusing to believe that her fiancé had killed her father, Azalea Palmer engages private detective Martin Queripel to investigate the case. As Queripel and Harley Kenyon, the lawyer who is to defend Paul, question the girl she reveals that during the murder investigation police detective James Silvers warned another detective, Pete Kelso, to stay away from the telephone which had been used to blackmail Wendell Palmer, Azalea's father, in death. Timothy O'Brien, Queripel's assistant, reveals that Kelso is "na bad as they make 'em." Azalea has just left Queripel's office.

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MARTIN QUERIPPEL and Harley Kenyon stood for a long moment lost in the gloom left when Azalea Palmer's bright presence was absent. Queripel broke it with a confession:

"I'm curious to see what kind of a man could inspire such a girl to such devotion."

"So am I," said Kenyon with such ardor that Queripel laughed: "Jealous?"

"Maybe I am at that," said Kenyon. "You'd better come along with me to the jail."

There was no difficulty about securing the interview. An officer brought Paul Moody into the conference room and the young sculptor came in almost as heavily and coldly as if he were one of his own statues moving. He was grim and bitter and almost petrified with rage and wonder at his own helplessness and humiliation.

Queripel introduced himself and Kenyon and said:

"We came at the request of Miss Azalea Palmer—or rather at her command."

The mere sound of her name brought Moody's whole frame alive by a miracle. The words "at her command" mobilized his carved features into a smile so

tender and so lovingly amused that both of the visitors understood why a girl might love him and believe in him.

There was no hint of craft or self-satisfaction in that smile.

"How is she? I could kill myself for adding to what she's suffering for the father she loved as if he were her child—a bitter, brutal child, but her own."

HIS look of rigid agony turned into a kind of almost laughter as Queripel described Azalea's descent upon his office, her demand for his help, and her lofty scorn for mere fingerprints. He told of calling in Kenyon, and Azalea's prayer that Paul accept their services to save her from despair. He added:

"She told me that if I didn't do as she said, she'd murder me. But she gave no orders to you—only her prayers."

"They're orders to me," said Paul. "I can't pay you much. And I don't know when I can pay you. Of course, my father and mother want to mortgage their home and engage the most expensive lawyers. But I'd rather go to the gas chamber than rob them of the last little security they have skimmed and scraped to build up all their long lean lives."

"One of the first things I had planned to do, when I got that big commission for the National Electric statue group, was to give them some comfort, but Azalea's father for some reason of his own, wrecked that hope. Azalea, though, agreed to live with me on my next-to-nothing. In fact, I came back to my studio to telephone her to meet me and get married that very day. But I was arrested and—here I am instead of on my honeymoon."

"Tell us just what happened,"

said Queripel. "And remember one thing. As I told your Azalea: 'Never lie to your doctor or your lawyer.' needs one amendment: 'Never try to deceive your detective.' Tell us just what occurred as you saw it."

PAUL hesitated a moment to collect and arrange his thoughts. Then he said:

"I got the bad news that I had lost my big commission just as I was going into a tennis tournament. Well, I was pretty not under the collar. I couldn't even finish the set. I had to be a bad sport and default."

"As a last resort I went to see Azalea's father. I was angry as hell, but couldn't have killed him, no matter what he said or did. What good would it have done me? It wouldn't have won the commission back. It would have robbed me of my—of Azalea—as it has already done."

"I took a bus to the nearest corner and walked to the house. The old man was alone. He answered the door himself."

"Did anyone see you go in?" said Queripel.

"Yes. I saw a woman looking out of a window. And a boy and a girl roller skating ran slambang into me. I laughed and they watched me go up the steps, then they rolled away."

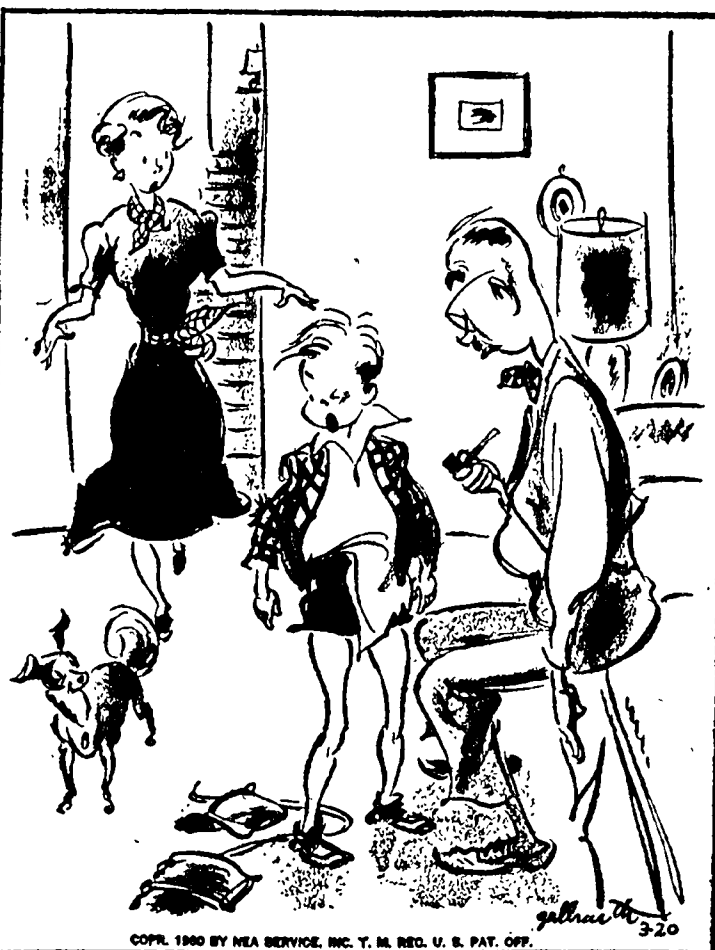
"The old man answered the bell and didn't want to let me in; but I pushed him back and insisted on being heard."

"He was in an unusually ugly mood and seemed to have something else on his mind. What I was I don't know except I remember his saying, 'Everybody is after my money. You and—and—well, that's none of your business. Why don't you go and earn some honest money instead of trying to be a parasite on other people?'"

"He was old, and Azalea's father, and I answered gently: 'That's just what I'm trying to do, Mr. Palmer. How would you have felt when you earned your first hundred thousand if somebody had snatched it away out of spite?' He merely sniffed and snorted at that."

(To Be Continued)

• Side Glances



"I can't promise that I'll never fight again, but I can promise that I'll fight Jimmy Murphy again!"

Ruth Millett

Trust Teen-Agers to Find Something to Worry About

"Our 16-year-old daughter is unhappy because we can't give her as much as a lot of the girls in her class at high school have. I realize that many of them have nicer clothes, better homes, and more spending money than our daughter. We love her and give her everything we can manage—but still she feels it isn't enough. I can sympathize with her because I remember what it was like to be her age—but I can't seem to say anything that will help her."

There may not be much you can say that a 16-year-old will find comforting. But don't let her temporary unhappiness make you unhappy.

Teen-agers are often unhappy—if not over one thing, then over another. While your daughter is wishing she had better clothes and

ves to Grand avenue, south to Broadway, east to Ohio and from there to the postoffice.

Harry Lee, years ago a resident of Sedalia, recently of Whiting, Ind., accompanied by his family, arrive to make their home here in the future.

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a nicer home you may be sure other girls in her class are worrying about other things.

Some are probably unhappy about their looks. Others are sure to feel their families don't understand them. Others may feel that they aren't popular. And so it goes.

Youngsters Are Natural

"Worry-Warts"

Dissatisfaction is a part of growing up for most young people—for it is then they start comparing themselves with others their own age and deciding that in one way or another they don't measure up.

Just go ahead as you're doing, giving your daughter what you can. But don't feel you are cheating her because you can't give her more.

If she has a happy home where she is loved and understood—this temporary unhappiness will work itself out in time.

When she is older she will appreciate all that you have done and are doing for her. She'll probably wonder how she could ever have let you down by letting you know that she expected more than you could give.

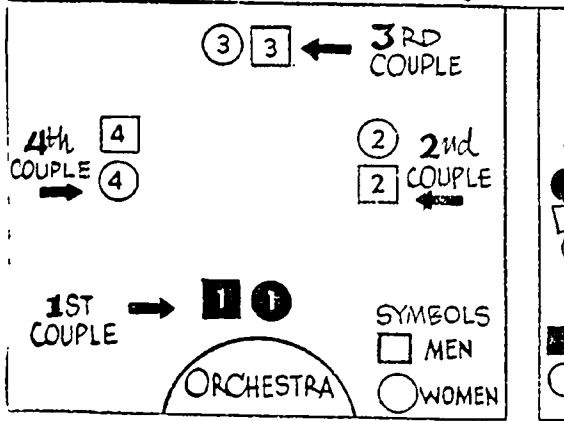
The fact that you sympathize with her now instead of looking on her as ungrateful child she will remember, too, when she is mature enough to understand a few more things.

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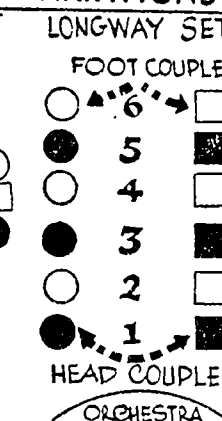
Social Events

'Swing Your Partner'...I

BASIC FORMATION: THE SQUARE



VARIATIONS



SWING YOUR PARTNER



Mrs. A. O. Grishkat, 701 South Engineer avenue, entertained at a 1:00 o'clock dinner Sunday, with a family reunion, and a birthday celebration for Walter W. Neumann who with Mrs. Neumann has been here a week from their home in Three Lakes, Wis. They are house guests of Mr. Neumann's brother, Robert Neumann and Mrs. Neumann, 1406 East Fifth street.

There was a birthday cake and gifts for Mrs. Neumann, and also a gift for Mrs. Neumann.

Guests were the Neumann families, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Tucker, Mrs. Hubert Brown and son, Richard, who is attending CMSC, Warrensburg, and Bobby Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Neumann are returning to Three Lakes, Tuesday.

Mrs. Leon Wells, 644 East Twelfth street, and Mrs. Jack Herndon gave a linen shower in honor of Mrs. Eddie Lyles Friday night at the home of Mrs. Wells. Refreshments were of ice-box pudding and coffee were served. The St. Patrick's Day motif was carried out throughout the home. The evening was spent playing games.

Those attending were the honoree Mrs. Lyles, Mrs. R. H. Sheffield, Mrs. S. C. Lyles, Mrs. Don Poundstone, Mrs. Carl Dean Austin, Mrs. Carl Jarshwitch, Mrs. Jim Carter, Miss Carolyn Collins, Miss Anita Parks, Miss Connie Putnam and Miss Mary Alice Sheffield.

Members of the Helen G. Steele Music club and their guests will have an opportunity on Wednesday afternoon, March 22, to hear the winners of superior awards in the Junior Music Festival. The festival, which is sponsored by the Missouri Federation of Music clubs of the Fifth District was held on Saturday, March 11.

Mrs. A. B. Potts, chairman of the Junior Department of the music club will be chairman of the program and will present the superior winners in piano, solo, piano duo, piano duets and voice.

Preceding the meeting the department chairman of the Helen G. Steele Music club will have a luncheon at the Heard Memorial Club House.

The program which will begin at 2:00 o'clock will be given by the following superior winners: piano solos by Jerry Brown, Loren Douglas Sutherland, Marcia Rissler, Craig Brougher, Morna Jean Kirschner, Judith Ann Case, Patricia Sue Green and Valgene Hayworth.

Piano duo, Valgene Hayworth and Donald Potter and Dorothy Jean Anderson and Sally Jo Dowdy.

Piano duet, Dorothy Jean Anderson and Sally Jo Dowdy. Voice numbers by Leslie Eells, Alice Rissler, Mary Jo Case, Patricia Sue Green, Anali Alcorn, Donna Maria Robinson, Wanda White and Robert Zoernig.

Lodge Celebrates 43rd Anniversary

The Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, No. 225, met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jay Nichols, 1400 East Thirteenth street, to celebrate the 43rd anniversary of the lodge.

A chicken dinner, to which all contributed, was served at the noon hour.

The afternoon was spent in revealing secret pals.

Members of the dinner committee were: Mrs. Raymond Hunt, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, and Mrs. John B. O'Brien, Mrs. Leland Witt and Mrs. Bennie Cramer.

Two visitors were Mrs. Dixie Waterfield, of New Franklin lodge, No. 12 and Mrs. Roy Elliott, Jefferson City lodge, No. 167.

Other members present were: Mrs. Charles Spillers, Mrs. W. E. Roach, Mrs. Maude Horton, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. L. N. Yunker, Mrs. H. E. Weseloh, Mrs. F. C. Lietzke, Mrs. Charlie Holt, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. Lloyd Luckey, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Harry Fry, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. Russell Overfelt, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. C. M. Brownfield, Mrs. J. Eddie Deuel and son, Joe and Mrs. Troy Teeter.

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Some call 'em square dances, some call 'em barn dances, or country dances. By any name, every day more and more people are swinging their partners to the rhythm of country fiddlers. Square dancing isn't hard. In this series, Margot Mayo shows you how to do the basic square dancing steps and

Some of the advanced figures.

Miss Mayo, a Texan, is director of American Square Dance Group, editor of the square dance magazine "Promenade," and instructor of folklore and music at the Mills School of Adelphi College, New York. Here's the first of her 12 lessons. Save them all for future reference—and Swing Your Partner!

the things that makes square dancing fun is that you don't dance exclusively by your own partner all evening — you usually dance with all the members of your square set. Each "gent" can dance with his partner, his corner lady, his opposite — the lady across the set from him — and the lady in the couple to his right. And each of the couples, too, will dance with each of the others. Couple 1 will dance with couples 2, 3 and 4; then couple 2

with couples 3, 4 and 1, and so on. There are many regional variations of square dancing. In some places the dancers don't form a square, they form a ring (center). The caller has the men count off, to designate odd and even couples. Then he'll direct the steps by referring to odds and evens. Another type is the longway set, in which the dancers form two lines, men in one and ladies in the other. But all the different types use the basic steps described in this series, although there are many different variations peculiar to each type.

One of the most important things to master is the basic step called "swing your partner" (right). The couple holds a regular ball room dancing position, although the man stands somewhat further to the right than in a waltz. The couple then swings around very fast, without moving from their "home" position. Sometimes they place their right feet together, and use their left feet as pushers, giving them more speed as they zip around in circles. This is called the "buzz step."

Another common denominator of most square dances is the "honor your partner" movement. Here each dancer steps back one step. The man bows to the lady and the lady curtsies to the man. It is an informal movement and need not be done stiffly.

Woman Killed in Wreck

HIGH HILL, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—Mrs. Lucile Bailey, 65, of St. Louis, was killed and her husband, William V. Bailey, was injured slightly yesterday when their automobile struck a right pole on Highway 40 near here. They were en route to Excelsior Springs, Mo.

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Midcentury



Mrs. Nell Burrell, 409 North Lamine, and her co-workers, made their report at the Red Cross office, Wednesday, March 15. This division had oversubscribed their quota at the time the report was made. With Mrs. Burrell as their chairman, this group had worked together for seven years in soliciting for this humanitarian cause. The volunteers who solicited are: Mrs. Nell Burrell, chairman, Mrs. Bell Cavil Brown, Mrs. Betty Cole, Mrs. R. V. Draffen, Mrs. Agnes Jackson, Mrs. Orelia Jackson, Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, Mrs. Sebelia Ray, Mrs. Georgia Robinson, Mrs. Ada Sutherland, Mrs. Leah Toley, Mrs. Bettina Toomer, Mrs. Mayme White and Mrs. Brownell Young.

Mrs. Kingsbury reported the largest amount collected, and Mrs. Orelia Jackson the second largest. Harry S. Nangle, Chairman, 1950 Fund Campaign states the month of March is two-thirds gone. By this time last year we had reached our quota. The success of the campaign is now in the hands of the workers. Every adult in the chapter's territory must be given an opportunity to participate in the work of the Red Cross through a contribution of funds and establishing a membership in the Red Cross. Providing this opportunity to adults in the chapter territory is now, of course, a responsibility of the campaign workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeFrain, Co-chairman of La Monte Township are assisting them in the Fund Campaign: Mrs. E. R. Hale, Mrs. D. A. Layne, Mrs. Ira Bass, Mrs. C. N. Moot, Mrs. Paul Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Templeton.

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ROUTE OF THE EAGLES

Smith-Cotton Queens Chosen

The class queens for the Smith-Cotton carnival that will be held the 31st of this month have been chosen. The queens and their respective grades are as follows: Eighth grade, Mary Peters; Freshman, Darlene Peters; Sophomores, Gloria Flores; Juniors, Ruth Ann Decker, and Senior, Patty Croy.

The class that sells the largest number of tickets to the carnival will have its representative crowned queen of the carnival. The money that will be netted from the carnival will have its representative crowned queen of the carnival. The money that will be netted from the carnival will be used for new scenery and curtains for the high school age.

The ticket drive will start Monday. This carnival will be the first one held at Smith-Cotton for over ten years.

The carnival will consist of one main minstrel show in the auditorium along with several acts, and offer other forms of entertainment and amusement, such as side shows, fish pond, house of magic, etc.

The Carnival Queen will be

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Found Shot to Death
ST. LOUIS, March 20.—(AP)—Jules Schilling, 30, general foreman for the Laclede Gas Light company, was found shot to death in his home yesterday.

Suburban Glendale said a German-made automatic pistol was found beside the body.

The sea spider is a remote relative of the crab and lobster.

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One-Act Play Winners Are Announced

Tournament Held in Smithton Friday, Saturday

The Smithton one-act play tournament, which is an annual event, started 23 years ago by Mrs. H. L. Hill, editor and publisher of the Smithton high school auditorium.

Raymond Kahrs was master of ceremonies and Mrs. Frank S. Leach and Mrs. L. J. Harned judged the plays.

In the dramatic class the play: "He Is Here," directed by Mrs. Otis Wiley, won first place. Those taking part were O. W. Wiley, John Youngkamp, Charles Alden, Esther Meisheimer, Clara Farmer, Glee Martin, Cynthia Mynatt, Bonnie Bultemeier, Theresa Cook and Roy Dawson.

The second place in dramatics was awarded "Evening Star," directed by Mrs. Paul Benson. The cast of characters were Mrs. P. V. Siegel, Mrs. George Knox, Warren Lewis, Lynn Wagenknecht, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Lois Hildebrandt, Paul Benson, J. J. Yeager, Rosemina Shaw and Phyllis Momborg.

The first in the comedy class was "Sis O' the Ozarks," directed by Mrs. H. L. Hill. Those taking part were Mrs. William Lamm, Betty Hume, Mildred Dillon, Melva May, Mrs. Howard Scott, Paul Selken, Mac Muschance and John Wagenknecht.

Second in the county classification was "Grandma Nick" directed by Miss Doris Maloney and Mrs. O. R. Demand. Those taking part were: George Griffin III, Joyce Griffith, Bob DeWitt, Shirley Bolte, Max Smith and Mrs. Earl Shroat.

The first three awards in any classification were: First, "He Is Here," second, "Sis of the Ozarks" and third, tie, "Grandma Nick" and "Evening Star."

The play winning first in the contest, "He Is Here," will be presented at the Pettis County play tournament at Smith-Colton high school this evening.

Program With Play

In addition to the plays a program was also presented as follows: Vocal solo, Mrs. Frank Streit; trumpet trio, Bob Baxter; Bob Wagenknecht, Jim Monson; ladies' quartet, Mrs. S. C. Kahrs, Mrs. John Daniels, Mrs. George Griffin and Mrs. Robert Griffin; solo, Charles Schneider, accompanied by Grace Schneider; several dance numbers by children of the community, vocal solo, Patty Sue Green, piano solo, Marilyn Green and violin solo, Mrs. C. J. Hilteneberg.

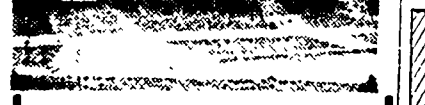
Owen Eding, 19, Cole Camp, received injuries Sunday afternoon when the car in which he was riding and a car of Ralph Grother, 517 East Fourth street, collided at Fourteenth street and Missouri avenue. Eding was treated at the hospital by Dr. A. L. Walter. Eding received a cut and bruised upper lip and a probable fracture of one rib.

The car in which Eding was riding was driven by E. H. Harris, of Cole Camp, a 1946 Ford five-passenger coupe and Grother's car was a 1939 Chevrolet coupe. The front end of the Ford was badly damaged and the right side of Grother's car smashed.

Robert J. Cherry Transferred to Iowa

Robert J. Cherry, 1415 West Fourth street, who for the past three years has been employed at the J. C. Penney store in Sedalia, has been transferred by that company to Clarinda, Ia., where he will be assistant manager of the store there.

Mr. Cherry left this morning for Clarinda and will be joined there later by his wife.



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Finds Pig in Basement, Calls Police Officers

Police received a call from a woman this morning who said, "I've got a pig in my basement." Police then went to the residence of Austin Miller, 502 Wilkerson avenue, to make an investigation.

In the basement was a young pig weighing about 24 pounds, squealing to its heart content. How or when the pig got into the basement appeared a mystery up to mid-afternoon, the door and windows were supposed to have been closed and locked.

At police headquarters the pig has been penned up in the office of the meter department awaiting for its owner to call for it.

Alleged Check Writer Picked Up by Patrol

Stopped on Highway 65 After Getting Pickup Order

About three hours after a pickup order had been broadcast by the Missouri State highway patrol, a 22-year-old alleged check writer was caught by State Trooper Pete H. Stohr on north highway 65, after he had "ditched" his motorcycle and started to run for the woods. The man who identified himself as Jack Douglas Failes of Arcata, California, admitted to the trooper he had passed two checks in Boonville and one in St. Louis.

Failes told of leaving Boonville this morning and going to the Marshall Junction of highways 63 and 40 where he stopped to get himself a cup of coffee. While there a man in a car from Boonville drove up and told him to go back to Boonville, which Failes said he started to do. He continued, saying he came to a filling station about twelve miles east and reaching there circled in behind the filling station and waited for the man in the car to go by.

"I then turned around and started back west on the highway and about six miles turned off on a gravel road and I just wasted my time," Failes said. "I got me hardly before I got back onto the good highway (referring to Trooper Stohr) after I left my motorcycle," Failes said.

Received Pickup Order
Trooper Stohr said he had received the pickup order on the radio, had cruised out on 65 and was returning to Sedalia when Failes passed on his motorcycle. Stohr had to wait until a truck and car passed him before he could turn around, but he had gone but a short distance when he saw the motorcycle lying beside the highway.

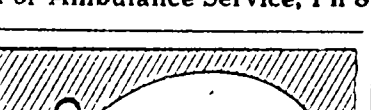
Stopping he started looking for Failes and saw him crawling down a ditch. Stohr went along the highway and caught up with the boy and told him to come on out. Failes said he had given the Frederick hotel at Boonville a check which he thought was for \$10, another check for \$25 to what he described as the Glover Clothing store, and a check for \$10 in St. Louis. He denied passing any other bad checks on his tour from California, down to New Orleans, through Texas and up into Missouri.

He also said all three checks were written on the First National Bank of St. Louis.

Trooper Stohr said he would be turned over to officials from Cooper county. His motorcycle was taken to the Sedalia police station.

Child Christened
Charles Richard Belt, born December 19, 1949, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucy P. Belt, 302 West Third street, was baptised Sunday morning in the Fifth Street Methodist church by the Rev. H. U. Campbell. The grandparents were sponsors: Mrs. Richard Belt, Carrollton, Mo., Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Brady, Sedalia. Altar children were Judith Anne Hathaway and William Michael Johnson.

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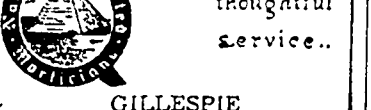


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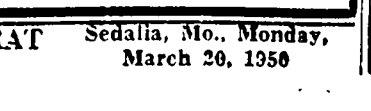


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Baby Sitter is Strangled To Her Death

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11 o'clock Saturday night. Policeman Roy McCowan, who took the call, said she was so excited he couldn't understand her.

"I urged her to calm down and just tell me where she was," McCowan said. "Then there was silence—not the sound of a receiver being hung up—just silence."

Telephone Receiver Off
After discovery of the body, it was noted the telephone receiver had been improperly placed on the instrument.

A sawhorse had been placed underneath the broken window in the Romack house. The window is nearly six feet off the ground. Sapp said the slayer evidently climbed upon the sawhorse, broke the window glass and crawled inside and over a piano to reach the living room floor.

The prosecuting attorney broadcast an appeal over the local radio station last night, asking citizens for aid in solving the slaying.

The slaying was somewhat similar to the rape-murder of Mary Lou Jenkins, Stephens College student, in February, 1946. Miss Jenkins was killed in the living room of her parents' home. The house is near the Romack home. An electric cord was twisted around Miss Jenkins' throat.

One Put to Death
Floyd Cochran, a Negro, was convicted of the Jenkins slaying and put to death in the state penitentiary gas chamber.

Miss Christian was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christman. The father is a cafe operator. The family formerly lived in Boonville, Mo.

Jake Bradford, a Negro, is being held in county jail in the two other cases of rape and attempted rape that occurred in the Romack's neighborhood in the last six months. He is awaiting trial.

U. S. Envoy Denies any Red Sympathy

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persons named) in my hands." Tydings said the committee will study the names behind closed doors.

While Jessup was testifying, Tydings produced and read letters from Gen. George C. Marshall, former secretary of state, and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, praising Jessup for his loyalty and opposition to Communism. The letters were received by Jessup who turned them over to Tydings.

Granted Cross-Examination Privilege
Hickenlooper demanded that McCarthy be given the right to cross-examine Jessup. McCarthy had asked for it.

"There was an outburst of applause as Tydings said Jessup might be allowed later to cross-examine McCarthy."

"I think that would be entirely fair," Hickenlooper said. McCarthy, sitting behind the committee, said in a loud voice: "Mr. Chairman, I'll be glad to let Mr. Jessup question me."

"Just a minute, we haven't asked you yet," Tydings said.

"Well, you have brought me in to it," McCarthy retorted.

Tydings said he would like to ask McCarthy about "several discrepancies that have appeared in your testimony."

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woolery, of Smithton, at 8:04 o'clock this morning at Woodland hospital. Weight: Six pounds, four ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rodgers, Jr., 1824 South Carv avenue, at 8:29 o'clock Sunday night. Weight: Seven pounds 14 ounces. The baby has been named Connie Jo.

Mrs. Rodgers was formerly Miss Betty Jo Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Okeke L. Rice, Fifth street and Lamine avenue.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. John David Bunch, route 1, Sedalia, at 6:02 o'clock Sunday morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Seven pounds, 14 ounces.

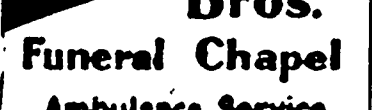
To Attend Convention
A. B. Warren, 1425 South Snead avenue, manager of the Main Street Drug, went to St. Louis this afternoon to attend the first annual three-day meeting and seminar of the American Animal Health Pharmaceutical Association.

Tea Tonight at Elks Home
For Missouri Pacific Women
Mrs. Frank Hanigan, president of the Missouri Pacific Women's club, calls attention to the membership tea for all Missouri Pacific women, wives, sisters or daughters of Missouri Pacific employees, to be held at the Elks Home at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. E. L. Wright
Mrs. Mary Ellen Wright, 67 years old, wife of E. L. Wright, 714 East Broadway, died at the Bothwell hospital Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. She had been ill two years and had been a patient in the hospital since February 1.

Mrs. Wright was born in Macon county, Missouri, on December 1, 1882. She had been a resident of Sedalia the past 40 years.

Surviving besides her husband are four children: Henry E. Wright, LaCrosse, Wis., Edwin Lee Enns, of Columbia and Miss Mary Margaret Wright of the home; one sister, Mrs. W. O. Long, Lindsay, Calif., one brother, Clyde P. Ellyson, Coalinda, Calif., and four grandsons.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at McLaughlin funeral chapel with the Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, to officiate.

Miss Mabel DeWitt will be in charge of the music.

Pallbearers will be: D. J. Connelly, J. L. Reine, J. W. Murrell, R. W. Rapp, Harry Spillers, and Bill McCarty.

Burial will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

The body is at the McLaughlin chapel.

Services For Babe

Graveside services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shackle, 320 East Twenty-seventh street, who died Saturday afternoon at her home, were held this morning at Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Gerdis Service
Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Gerdis, 78, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Oat, 114 South Stewart avenue, Friday will be held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. Roy L. Bowers, pastor of the First Methodist church officiating.

Pallbearers will be: Herbert W. Bohm, Glennie Bylar, Edward L. Corke, L. J. Dietzel, Tony L. Wilson and Merle Alcorn.

Mrs. C. D. Demand and Mrs. M. O. Stevens will sing: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "The Way of the Cross Leads Home." Mrs. Mac Moser will be the accompanist.

Burial will be in the Pleasant Hill cemetery.

In addition to the survivors previously named are six grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

More Service, Earned Less

ST. LOUIS, March 20—(AP)—In an annual report issued today the Southwestern Bell Telephone company said it provided more telephone service in 1949 than ever before—and earned less on its invested capital than ever before.

The rate of earnings reached a new low of 3.86 per cent, compared with 4.09 per cent in 1948. Pointing the way to more applications for higher rates, the report said:

"Service cannot be extended without facilities, facilities cannot be built without capital and capital cannot be attracted without the inducement of a fair and reasonable return." And, it went on, the only way to bring earnings up to a "satisfactory level" is to raise the price of the service.

A rate-adjusting program has been under way since September, 1947, but the company said, there has been such a lag in the process that the amount of increase requested was "wholly inadequate" by the time the rates became effective.

Brothers Break Jail, Caught

CARROLLTON, Mo., March 20—(AP)—Two brothers broke out of the 75-year-old Carroll county jail here yesterday, but their freedom flight was brief.

They were captured a short time later on a freight train at Henrietta, 25 miles west of here.

Sheriff Alex Goodson identified the men as Bill More, 30 and Allen Moore, 21, itinerants who were being held on burglary charges.

The sheriff said the brothers dug through a soft brick wall while they were outside their steel cage cells to take bats.

Tracks left in the snow led officers to the Wabash depot. A Kansas City-bound freight train had just passed.

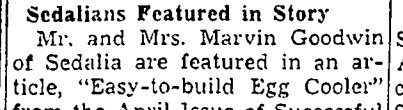
The train was stopped at Henrietta and the men were found in a refrigerator car.

It was the 25th escape from the jail here. Only last week a Carroll county grand jury recommended a new jail be built.

Following their capture at Henrietta, the men were taken to the Lafayette county jail for safe-keeping.

Miss Raines Better
Miss Lucille Raines, 1520 South Osage avenue, who has been quite ill at her home the past month with virus flu and pneumonia, shows slight improvement.

Sedilians Featured in Story
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Goodwin of Sedalia are featured in an article, "Easy-to-build Egg Cooler" from the April issue of Successful Farming magazine.



Professional Skill...

...complete modern facilities and funeral equipment... faultless arrangement and direction... these things mark our service, and are, in part, the reason for the preference extended to us.

Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Lowell Glaze, 620 West Fourth street, returned home Friday from a trip to Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent several days before going south through Louisiana and Mississippi. They visited friends in Memphis, Tenn. A high light of the trip was a visit to the Kentucky dam on the Tennessee River at Paducah, Ky.

F. L. Hanigan, 505 East Fourth street, division chairman for the Brotherhood of Railway clerks, attended the annual system board meeting in St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs. John B. O'Brien, 901 East Fourth street, and Mrs. Margaret Bell, 1302 East Sixth street, have gone to Kansas City, called by the critical illness of their father, C. V. Sands, a former Sedalian.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hodge, of St. Louis, are visiting Mr. Hodge's mother, Mrs. Charles E. Connelly, 215 West Seventh street, who fractured her right arm just below the shoulder on February 22. Mrs. Connelly's arm is still in a cast and will be for several more weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge drove to Harrisonville Saturday to visit his son, Joe Hodge, but returned to Sedalia Saturday night and will leave for their home today.

Mrs. Lyle Wilson and children, Buddy and Bobby, of Minneapolis, Minn., have left for Des Moines, Iowa, after spending the past two weeks with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crain of Hughesville.

Mrs. Wilson will be met in Des Moines by her husband and will spend a few days there. They will then return to Minneapolis, where they have purchased a new home. Mrs. Wilson is the former Miss Bethel Crain of Hughesville.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Ruhle, of Kansas City, came to Sedalia Saturday afternoon and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cline Cain, of South Missouri avenue, until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLaughlin and sons, Robert and Paul, of Kansas City were week-end guests of Mr. McLaughlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McLaughlin, 1301 West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkpatrick and daughter, Earlene, of Kansas City, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Kirkpatrick's mother and sister, Mrs. Grace Scott and Miss Alice Scott, of 107 West Seventh street.

Jimmy Cooney, of St. Louis, formerly of Sedalia spent the week-end in Sedalia with friend.

Thomas Gallagher, Jr., of Junction, Kas., spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. T. A. Hurley, and family.

Miss Betty Reid, employed in St. Louis, and her sister, Miss Joan Reid, attending Fontbonne college, there, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reid, of Dal-Whi-Mo Court.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Overstreet, 1206 South Carv avenue, have returned home from Brownfield, Tex., where they visited their son, Robert Overstreet, who is teaching in Brownfield. While there they also took a trip to Big Bend National Park, on which trip they were accompanied by their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson of Lawrence, Kas., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osburn and family, 306 East Howard street. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson's son Glenn, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Osburn, returned home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Holman and Mr. and Mrs. John Horitor, all of Sedalia, attended the 1950 automobile show in Kansas City Sunday.

Robert Shelton, 119 East Seventh street, who is attending Washington University, St. Louis, spent the week-end here with his grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Goodnight. He will finish his studies this spring.

Mrs. E. F. Yancey, 803 West Broadway, has returned home from Oklahoma City, Okla., where she visited her sister, Miss Nell Harris. While there Mrs. Yancey and Miss Harris made a trip to Hot Springs.

Henry J. Kroencke, Pomona, Calif., and Herman J. Kroencke, of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting in Sedalia with their sister, Mrs. Edward Hoffman, 513 South Osage avenue, and their mother, Mrs. Anna Kroencke, 116 West Sixth street, who is ill. W. B. Taylor, former Sedalia horse trainer, father of Mrs. Henry Kroencke, is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kroencke, and is ill. The Kroenckes are former residents of Sedalia, residing at 118 West Seventh street for a number of years.

Clarence Wisconsin twins and cheddars 32 1/2c; flats and sunsets 33c; daisies 36 1/2c; Longhorns 36 1/2c; process (5 pound loaf) 35c; nearby 1 cent less.

Poultry: Fowl, heavy breeds 26 1/2c; Leghorns 18c; fryers and broilers (commercial) whites 35c; grays 34c to 35c; white crosses 33c to 34c; rods 32c to 34c; near-by (farm raised) whites 31c; grays 31c; rods 31c; Leghorn and Leghorn crosses 22c; barebacks 20c; blacks 16c; ducks, whites 25c; Muscovy 17c; dark 20c; geese 22c; capons 7 pounds and up 41c; under 7 pounds 36c; slips 32c; turkeys, young hens 32c; young toms 25c; old hens 22c; old toms 20c; No. 2 turkeys 12c to 15c; roosters 14c; guineas 15c.

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Corn: 77 cars, sold No. 2 yellow \$1.38 1/2; No. 3 yellow \$1.37 1/2; No. 4 yellow \$1.32 1/2 to \$1.35 1/2; No. 2 mixed \$1.37 1/2.
Oats: 17 cars, sold No. 1 white \$2 1/2; No. 1 mixed \$2 1/4.

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Sedalia Lodge No. 1494, Loyal Order of Moose will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the Moose lodge, Second street and Lamine avenue. Nomination of officers will be held.

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Hughesville Boy Receives Degree
Ames, Iowa—James Edwin Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Smith, Hughesville, Mo., received the degree of Bachelor of Science from Iowa State College in ceremonies held March 17.

Independent Retail Grocers Meet Tuesday
All retail grocers of the city are invited to the meeting of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association being held Tuesday night in the Palm Room of the Bothwell hotel, starting at 8:00 o'clock.

A movie, entitled "Designed for Selling," which is produced and distributed by the National Association of Retail Grocers will be shown and matters of importance to all retail grocers will be discussed.

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Fox Escaped From Prison

Orville Fox, 38, who escaped Sunday from Prison Farm No. 2 of the Missouri Penitentiary, was sentenced to prison for five years on a charge of larceny of an automobile. Fox pleaded guilty in Pettis county circuit court, June 15, 1948, to the charge and received his sentence.

Fox was reported to have escaped from the farm in company with Everett Hensley, 39, Willow Springs, Mo., who was also serving a five-year sentence. Hensley was sentenced to prison a rape charge according to a broadcast to police officers from the State Highway Patrol.

The Sedalian is well known to local police, having been arrested numerous times on minor charges.

Car Skidded; Youth Injured

Clay Eugene Bills, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bills, of Green Ridge, is in the Bothwell hospital suffering from injuries received when his car skidded into a bridge on old Highway 65 near the Manilla Store, about 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Bills, it was reported to the police, was driving along when his car struck a slick spot in the road causing it to skid into the bridge. The car was badly damaged.

Two girls, Ann Catherine Case and Myrna Lou Case also of Green Ridge, who accompanied Bills in the car, escaped injury.

Bills received abrasions, lacerations and a concussion. He was taken to the hospital, where Dr. C. Gordon Stauffacher gave medical attention.

Bothwell Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Francis C. Smith, 507 South Park avenue; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Finley, LaMonte; J. M. James, 506 West Seventh street.

Admitted for tonsillectomy: Ravacia Sherman, 1602 Liberty Park boulevard.

Accidents: Clarence Williams, route 4, Sedalia, who fell while swinging from a rope in the barn at his home, about 5:45 Sunday evening.

Dismissed: George H. Walje, Ottaville; David Neuschke Warsaw and Eugene Bills, Green Ridge.

Woodland Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Charles Fisher, 1003 South Lamine avenue.

Dismissed: Carl Funnell, 1008 East Fifteenth street.

Chicago Cash Grain
CHICAGO, March 20—(AP)—Cash grain:
Wheat: None.
Corn: No. 4 yellow (old) \$1.38 1/2; No. 3 yellow \$1.34 1/2 to \$1.38; No. 4, \$1.31 1/2.

Oats: No. 1 heavy mixed 80 1/2c to 81c; No. 1 mixed 79 1/2c; No. 1 white 81 1/2c to 82 1/2c; No. 1 white 81c to 82c; No. 2 heavy white 81c; No. 3 heavy white medium 79 1/2c; sample grade heavy white medium 79 1/2c.

Barley nominal; malting \$1.25 to \$1.55; feed \$1.00 to \$1.15. Field seed per hundredweight nominal; sweet clover \$22.50 to \$23.50; red top \$30.00 to \$51.00; alsike \$32.00 to \$33.50; timothy \$25.50 to \$26.50.

Soybeans:

Pettis County Farm and Home News

High Organic Matter Need In Gardens

Increases The Moisture Holding Capacity Of Soil

High organic matter in garden soil is essential. Organic matter is decayed plant material.

Organic matter may be applied in (1) barnyard manure; (2) green manure crops (legumes such as soy beans, and such other crops as wheat, rye, oats, etc.); (3) leaves; and (4) rotted sawdust.

Organic matter increases the moisture holding capacity of the soil, thus reducing the effects of drought during midsummer. One cubic foot of sand will hold 15 pounds of water. One cubic foot of soil will hold 35 pounds of water. One cubic foot of organic matter holds 135 pounds of water. Hence, we can see the value of having a garden soil high in organic matter especially for crops that are growing during dry periods.

Organic matter also loosens the soil and makes it easier to work. Plant roots can grow easier through the soil. The soil with a high organic matter will not pack as hard; therefore, more air can get in the surface soil which will encourage better plant growth. Such a soil will provide an enlarged area to hold food material for plant production. Organic matter provides food elements for plant growth as it decays. Organic matter should be added to the soil by plowing under plant material, preferably in the fall, although it may be plowed under in the spring. Since organic matter is not a balanced plant food, a phosphate fertilizer should be added.

When barnyard manure is applied, 10 lbs. of phosphate (P2O5) should be applied to each ton. Fifty pounds of 20% superphosphate or 22 pounds of 45% will provide this. If green manure is plowed under, at least 100 pounds per acre of 0-20-10 should be applied.

Balance to Fertility

It's important to apply fertilizer that will balance the fertility. A soil test is the best guide to determine what kind and how much fertilizer should be applied. This service is available at the Extension office, 410 1/2 So. Ohio St. Sampling should be done carefully to get a true picture of the top 7 inches of soil. i. e. the same amount of soil should be secured from each of the 7 inches. This may be done with an auger or spade.

The amount of available food elements needed in the soil for good gardens are—300 pounds of phosphate (P2O5); 300 pounds of potash (K2O). High in calcium—not more than neutral in acidity, at least 3% organic matter, enough nitrogen to give good growth, and a complete fertilizer as a starter with minor elements (if needed). The phosphate per acre on crop land usually ranges from 16 to 80 pounds and potash 80 to 160 pounds. A few run lower and a small number run higher than this range. This means for a productive garden, the phosphate and potash level should be materially higher than the average crop land. Care must be used to avoid overliming as this can throw the different elements out of balance.

Heavy applications of phosphate, potash, and lime should be plowed under. Nitrogen, applied as needed, may well be used as a side dressing. The fertilizers that can be used efficiently and economically are 45% superphosphate, muriate of potash, ammonium nitrate, crushed limestone and a complete fertilizer such as 4-12-4, or 8-24-8 or 5-10-5 or 10-15-10 or a complete fertilizer with minor elements.

Side dressing will be used if the general level of soil fertility is low. If the organic matter content is low, a high nitrogen fertilizer may well be used as a side dressing. Side dressing will usually be needed if the spring weather conditions are cold and damp. If the foliage is not a green color usually side dressing will be profitable.

Side dressing usually supplements one of the other methods. In side dressing, the fertilizer is placed near the plant so it can be used quickly. In side dressing the single or double band application may be used with good results. This consists of making a small furrow with a hoe or garden plow about 4 inches from the row and 3 inches deep. Then the fertilizer is scattered in this furrow and covered by cultivation. One pound of complete fertilizer may generally be used for each 50 feet of row single band. Probably not more than 1/4 pound of ammonium nitrate applied in single bands in 50 feet should be used at one application. If more food material is needed, make additional applications about 2 weeks apart.

Planting Demonstration On Fairfax Farm

A Multiflora rose planting demonstration will be conducted Saturday morning, March 25 on the Fairfax Brothers farm southeast

Liberty 4-H Club Organized

Parents and children of the Liberty school district met Monday night March 13 with the Assistant County Agent and Home Agent for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club in their community.

After a discussion by Mr. Phifer, Assistant Agent, explaining the overall 4-H club program the children voted to organize and to name their club the Liberty 4-H club.

Officers elected were: President, Charles Green; Vice President, Wayne Green; Secretary-Treasurer, Kenneth Harris; Reporter, Judy Campbell; Game Leader, John Earl Meyers; Song Leader, Jo Ann Green; and Parliamentarian, Alela Felton.

Miss Watkins, Home Agent, explained to the group the activities that a 4-H club can carry out and the various projects available for club members. She also stressed need for parents cooperation which is vital to the success of a club.

Mrs. E. E. Campbell was selected as the Community Leader and Mrs. L. W. Harris the Assistant Leader.

The next meeting will be held April 10th at which time the program for the year will be planned.

Address By A Young 4-H'er On Belgium

Van Eithel Tells Of Visit To Seven Foreign Lands

Van Eitel, a 4-H club member from Adair County who represented Missouri in the 1949 International Farm Youth Exchange Program addressed approximately 300 4-H club members, leaders and parents Tuesday evening telling of his experiences, observations, and impressions as an exchange delegate to Belgium.

Van, a 10th year 4-H'er visited seven countries in Europe during his tour; however, the major part of his time was spent in Belgium where he worked and visited with many farm families and various rural organizations. Calling Belgium a "progressive little America" Van stated that the country is perhaps the farthest advanced of any country on the continent and is well on its way to full recovery from the recent war. He said that he was surprised to find magazines, canned food and automobiles from the United States numerous, and most of all was astonished to hear radio broadcasts originating in the United States and broadcast over the American Occupation Network in Germany.

To understand Belgium agriculture and its problems, one must first take into consideration the size and density of the country, he stated.

Belgium with 8 million population is concentrated in area only one fifth the size of Missouri, and while Missouri has only 56 persons per square mile, Belgium has 717. The average size farm, he continued, is only 13 acres, this being necessary in order to accommodate the 18% of the population engaged in agriculture.

High Yields of Grain

Van stated that while Belgium is behind the United States in mechanization, her agriculture is far ahead of ours in some other ways. He spoke of yields of oats which average 80 bushels per acre. Wheat which averaged 42 bushels per acre and 49 bushel barley yields which was average. These high yields have resulted from the care given to the soil. The only way Belgium farmers have of increasing income is to increase crop yields, as there is no new land to rent and farms do not change often, he stated. Therefore farmers are very conscientious of soil fertility, returning as much crop and animal residue to the soil as possible. Soil testing is very common in Belgium, Van said.

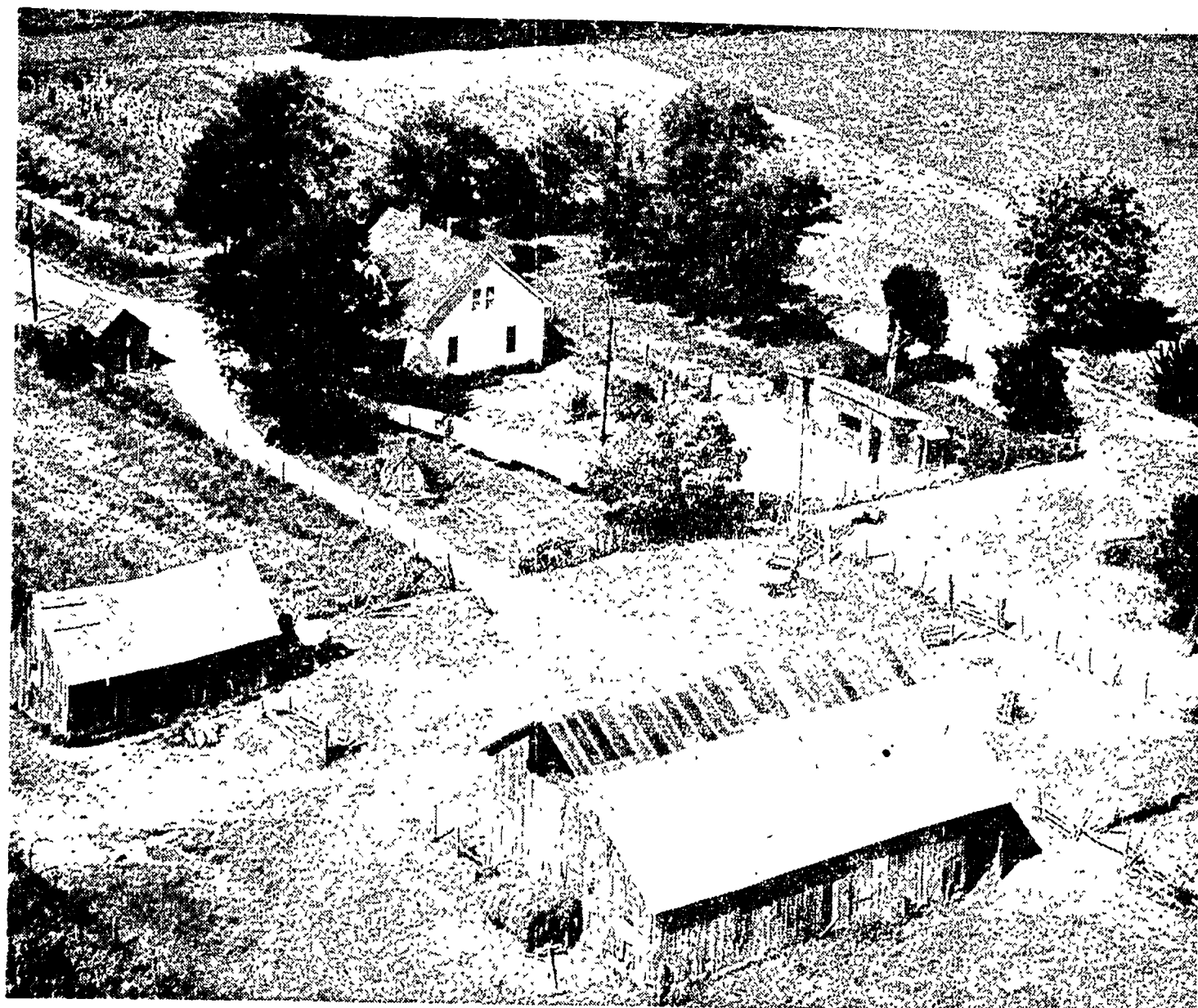
He told the 4-Hers how fortunate they are to live in a country of such unlimited opportunities and to have such rural youth organizations as 4-H to give them training in agriculture and homemaking. The average farm youth in Belgium has to look for work outside or agriculture unless he is the oldest member of the family, in which case he automatically inherits the farm, and there are no rural youth organizations which compare with our 4-H club program he continued.

Van concluded his address by showing movies which he took while on his tour through Belgium and the six other countries he visited.

of Sedalia on highway C by the members of the South Abell 4-H club, the extension service and the Missouri Conservation Commission.

The planting will be made around a farm pond in order to give a permanent living fence. After 3 or 4 years time the multiflora rose hedge will make a stocktight fence and provide excellent cover for Wildlife. The public is invited and all 4-H clubs carrying the conservation activity are urged to attend.

Mystery Farm Pictures in Central Missouri---



Whose farm is it?

Occupants of the above farm home may have wondered this spring about a plane buzzing low over their buildings. The picture explains it. The airplane pilot didn't know whose farm it was. The photographer didn't either. The two of them just flew around the Central Missouri area served

by the Sedalia Democrat-Capital newspapers and took pictures. They couldn't take pictures of all the farms but they got as many good shots as possible during the light time. So about once a week hereafter, until the pictures run out, the Sedalia Democrat-Capital will print these farm home pictures as a news feature. The newspapers

would like to know whose farm homes they are.

The mystery farm picture that appeared in the past week's Mystery Farm spot was identified in the Democrat-Capital news offices Saturday by Mrs. C. T. Templeton, route 1, Green Ridge. Mrs. Templeton said the farm was located just west of the Prairie

View church.

The farm has a total of 76 acres and according to Mrs. Templeton her husband does general farming work.

The Templetons have lived there for seven years, coming from a farm near Houstonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Templeton have several children, most of whom live in Kansas City.

February Dairy Herd Report

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The five high herds in fat production belong to John Bluhm with 19 cows averaging 29.7 pounds; Eugene Helman with 26 cows averaging 24.8 pounds; E. C. Stevens with 29 cows averaging 22.7 pounds; Lee Yeater & Son with 41 cows averaging 22.1 pounds; and Henry Alt with 21 cows averaging 22.0 pounds.

The 6 high cows in fat production belong to:

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Lee Yeater & Son	Brass 4	1817	87.2	
John Bluhm	89	1826	65.4	
John Bluhm	55	1456	61.1	
Lee Yeater & Son	06	1568	58.0	
E. C. Stevens	Dora	848	54.1	
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Sign Up For Conservation

Township PMA committees have been working the last few days in the county office establishing the 1950 Agricultural Conservation program assistance on each participating farm in Pettis county, reported Jas. A. Harvey, county PMA chairman.

Worksheets have been signed on 1805 out of 2900 farms in the county indicating the intention of the owners and operators to perform approved soil building and conserving practices and these 1805 farms constitute 60% of the total cropland in the county. Although the Agricultural Conservation program provides assistance on an individual farm basis—that is, each farmer carries out the conservation practices he thinks are needed on his farm—the combined efforts on these farms to increase fertility, control soil erosion, and retard water runoff will make a noticeable attack on some of our most serious conservation problems.

Notices of the practices approved on each farm under the 1950 program will be mailed soon to each owner and operator together with a very important letter giving pertinent facts concerning the performance of additional practices under this year's program, stated Harvey.

Timberline in mountains is at an elevation above which trees can not grow.

A cow has been found to utilize up to 25 pounds of chopped white potatoes a day in milk production.

up land in fertility, resistance to erosion, and ability to absorb water rapidly. There is also the return through a hay crop, pasture, and possibly seed to add to the dividends.

Paul Selken Is Re-Elected

Meeting Held By Breeders Of Holstein Cattle

Holstein Breeders from a wide area were well represented at the annual meeting of the Central District Holstein Breeders Association held in the County Agricultural Office. J. E. Crosby, secretary of the State Association led the discussion and showed color movies of the ten pre-American Royal Shows of 1949.

Paul Selken of Smithton was re-elected president; Dr. C. O. Jones of Blackburn was elected as the new vice president; Reno Horn south of Cole Camp, re-elected as treasurer and John F. Bluhm of Smithton, the new director to the State Board.

Holstein Breeders have three important events on their calendar this year. On April 24th a Junior show and the Pre-American Royal open show will be held at the Missouri State Fair grounds, first and second prize winners at this show will share in the \$20,000 prizes, regardless of their placing at Kansas City.

The Annual Sale sponsored by the Association will be held at the Empire Ozark Fairgrounds on Sept. 28th and the association will sponsor a dairy school in the fall. Members of the University of Missouri Dairy Dept. will be in charge of the school, and all dairymen of all breeds, 4-H and Vocational students and members of Veteran Agriculture Classes from a large territory will attend. The Ernest and Paul Selken Farms at Smithton has been selected as the site for the school. The Selken's have one of the top herds in the Mid West and these cattle will be used in the days activities.

Committees were chosen for each event and several new members were added to the association.

Buy Structures To Store Grain

The Commodity Credit Corporation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced that it is making awards for the purchase of 81,380,000 bushels capacity of bin-type and comparable grain storage structures. The awards are being made in accordance with the announcement of March 3 that the corporation was preparing to buy additional emergency storage facilities to help handle grain which will be turned over to CCC this spring under price support programs.

All of the structures which are being bought are of a semi-permanent type which can be dismantled and moved to other locations and converted to other uses when they are no longer required by CCC. The awards call for delivery within 45 days.

None of the contracts reported today run to more than 25 cents per bushel of capacity for "erected" storage at the site, and the average cost is about 22 1/2 cents per bushel.

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THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT Sedalia, Mo., Monday, March 20, 1950

PLATTSBURG, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Charles F. Ward, 69, publisher of the Plattsburg Leader 33 years.

He died yesterday in a hospital at St. Joseph, Mo.

Ward bought the Leader in 1917 and was publisher until he sold the newspaper two weeks ago to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Biggerstaff.

Since 1928 he had been a curator of the University of Missouri. Previously he had been a member of the board of regents of Northwest Missouri State college, Maryville.

Ward was an ordained minister in the Christian church.

Survivors include his widow and a daughter.

• Community News from
Barnett

(MRS. C. L. HATLER)

Mrs. Lora Roark of Littleton, Colo., arrived the past Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Morrow, who is ill and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Morrow.

Funeral services for Mrs. Flora Madole were conducted Thursday at 2:30 o'clock at the Barnett Union church by the Rev. B. F. Dinwiddie of Eldon. Mrs. Madole was close to 84 years of age and died Wednesday at 10:00 o'clock following a lingering illness at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald. Burial was in Big Rock cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cox received word last week that their son, Roy Cox, of Booker, Tex., lost the sight of his left eye the past Monday. The injury occurred while he was greasing a tractor. The tractor slipped off a jack breaking his glasses. The glass that was shattered cut his eye ball very seriously. He was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, Tex., and returned to his home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Hattie Oneal was honored Sunday March 5th with a dinner in celebration of her birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oneal and Gail of Fayette, Mrs. Daisy, daughters and C. W. of Fortuna, Mrs. Leonard Dowell and Charles of California, Mrs. D. W. Bennett and son, Stanley, of Excelsior, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Oneal, Mrs. Oliver Kays and Norma Jean and Bernum Oneal of the home.

Mrs. W. R. Crasbie of Canton, Ohio, arrived Friday to care for Mrs. Lucy Bond and R. L. Frost who are suffering from virus pneumonia.

The Fidelis Circle met Wednesday night with Mrs. O. E. Cochran and Mrs. J. H. Yovs was in charge of the devotional. She chose as her subject "Prayer". The April meeting will be with Mrs. C. L. Williams and Mrs. O. E. Cochran will be the leader.

Mrs. Alpha Davidson of Sedalia is visiting her brother, J. M. Williams, Mrs. Williams and other relatives.

George Smith's home was destroyed by fire the past Wednesday. Most of his belongings were also destroyed.

Mrs. Olivia Brown who spent the winter months here with her brother, J. E. Boan, returned to her home in Versailles Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Winebrenner of Kansas City spent the past week-end with her brother, Joe Kays and Mrs. Kays.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Dunstan and family were week-end guests in Kansas City with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gangwish and sons of Jefferson City accompanied them.

William Hess was honored Sunday with a dinner in celebration of his 83rd birthday. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Calton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Herman McFarland and daughters of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Huff and family, Mrs. Frances Huff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Porter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Hess and son, Mrs. Thelma Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hayes and son, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hayes and son, Aaron Hess, Roy Hess and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stockley, Donald Tryon and Joyce Hess and Neil and Gene Hicks.

Leo Edmundson attended a dinner at Tipton Wednesday night given by the Missouri Utilities company.

Curtis Crane of Rock Island, Ill., arrived Saturday to spend several days with his brother and sister, Cap Crane and Mrs. J. T. McDow an other relatives.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cochran were: Mr. and Mrs. Wray Cochran and family of Eldon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marrow and family of Jefferson City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Marrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson of Columbia were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Routon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cox. Clifford Greenway of Rosendale was also a guest of his parents over the week-end.

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THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT
Sedalia, Mo., Monday,
March 20, 1950

Crime DOES Pay!

Super-Criminals Menace Public Safety With A New Crime Wave Coining Billions



HIGH ON THE LIST: Frank Costello, Joe Adonis, and Frank Erickson (left to right) have been named in connection with operation of the crime syndicates. But students of crime admit there are other big names still unknown

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NE ASaff Correspondent

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — Crime does pay in the United States today.

Organized illegal gambling alone is taking in somewhere between \$5.3 billion and \$20 billion annually. These figures are minimum and maximum estimates made in a recent confidential report of the Special Citizens' Committee of Massachusetts.

Because they are based on reports and findings of many other inquiries, the estimates are rated by the experts as the most reliable that exist.

This fabulous yearly take is the result of a post-war crime wave in America which has brand new, sinister elements never before encountered by law enforcement officers. A group of super-criminals have organized crime syndicates so powerful they threaten public safety, government and the very moral strength of the country.

Only recently have enough details come to light to afford an outline of the whole shocking picture. A great deal still is not known about these syndicates. But as a result of courageous investigations by various public officials, citizens' groups and special state crime commissions, the following definite facts have been established:

A small but undetermined number of syndicates now have tight monopolistic control of the racing wires (essential to off-track betting), the slot machine racket, and the numbers and sports pools. Extremely shrewd businessmen run the syndicates. They have made peaceful pacts among themselves on the division of territories and activities. Some of the violence associated with their activities is what they allow at lower levels to divert attention from their own top-level operations. Most results from moving in on local mobsters.

Exploiting every loophole in federal, state and local laws, with the aid of keen legal advice, the top men manage to stay just inside the law. They skillfully maintain a front of respectability. They cleverly employ the courts to further their ends. In California, syndicate attorneys got court orders blocking the California Crime Commission's effort to

have Western Union discontinue wire service to bookies.

Syndicate leaders avoid any legal ties with the criminal by-products of their gambling networks. But it is the huge profits of gambling that finance the riskier businesses of prostitution, dope peddling, smuggling, organized murder, the loan shark racket and other extortionate practices.

Various authoritative reports have named several men as top operators. Frank Costello, Frank Erickson and Joe Adonis are high on the list. But the studies admit there are other big men who just aren't known. Hollywood's notorious Mickey Cohen is generally figured a small potato in this company.

Most of the personnel involved, though not necessarily the top men, are the grown up "young punks" of the prohibition era. Many are members of the former Capone gang. The younger members of the gangs and syndicates are wayward youths who have been well trained in the ways of crime by older hands.

The syndicate really became big-time during the war, while most citizens were pre-occupied with the fighting. Since then they have perfected their organization and consolidated their gains, taking advantage of the fact that any post-war era is likely to be lax in its attitude toward gambling and crime.

Crime experts credit the syndicates' new techniques of operation for a considerable part of their success. In addition to their cage use of the courts and maintenance of a correct legal facade, they have gone in for:

Organized public relations activities and lobbying to sell the country and its public officials on legalized gambling. Their lobbies function in every state capital, striving to get laws rigged so their operations will be made easier—if not wholly legal. Thousands of local officials are on their payrolls, and there is evidence

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

At the Police Station in The City Hall Building on Thursday the 23rd, Friday the 24th, and Saturday the 25th Days of March, A.D., 1950.

PURSUANT TO THE LAW in such cases made and provided, the Board of Registrars of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, will hold open its Books from 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, on Thursday the 23rd, Friday the 24th, and Saturday the 25th days of March A.D., 1950, in the Police Station of the City Hall Building, located at Second and Osage Street, in the City of Sedalia, Missouri, at which time those who have become entitled to register since the last days of registration, or who have, for any cause failed and neglected to do so, may register upon compliance with the provisions of Article 19, Chapter 76, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1939; these registration dates being fixed for the purpose of permitting such voters to register ten (10) days prior to the General City Election to be held within the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of APRIL, A.D., 1950.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS,
this 1st day of March, A.D., 1950.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI
By Mrs. John S. Devine—Chairman.

ATTEST: With the Seal of said City:
J. M. BAILEY,
City Clerk and Secretary
to the Board of Registrars
of the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

Shooting in Carthage Fatal

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—A 34-year-old Carthage garage employee was held yesterday in connection with the fatal shooting of another Carthage man late Saturday night.

Authorities said an argument over an automobile repair job led to the shooting.

Killed was Harold Harmon. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney H. Tiffin Teters said Russell Melugin surrendered to Highway Patrolmen and told them he fired the shots.

Teters said no charges had been filed, pending further investigation.

Teters quoted Melugin as saying Harmon approached him in a tavern and complained about a repair job that had been done in

thing they can make the police look inefficient and corrupt. They even manage to make good-traffic officers look like brutes and bums with their slick tactics. They work out elaborate schemes to frame police and city officials in scandals."

Mayor Dorothy Lee of Portland, Ore., says that seven weeks after her election "slot machine operators in Portland sought to organize and launch a campaign to get me out of office, one way or another."

The California Crime Commission believes that 20 per cent of the annual take in the slot machine racket is spent for bribery and corruption of public authorities. It describes the efforts of syndicates to influence public activities as "the perfect blueprint for plutocratic gangster government."

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a garage where Melugin worked. Teters said Melugin stated an argument and fight followed and that the shooting occurred outside the tavern by Melugin's pickup truck.

Aged Woman Dies
FREEMAN, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—Cass county's oldest resident—101-year-old Mrs. Eliza Jane Bennett—died Saturday night at the home of a son, Louis Bennett.

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Crisp Solid—Iceberg
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CABBAGE lb. 3¢
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Use of Sixteenth street and Kentucky avenue for a speedway cost the drivers of two motor vehicles \$25.00 each this morning, when they failed to appear in police court before Judge Harry O. Berry. They were R. D. Cook of rural route three, and V. A. Sutherland, 1824 East Ninth street, who forfeited their cash bonds.

The two were trailed from Sixteenth street and Grand avenue to Broadway and Kentucky avenue and then drove to Garst's Drive Inn, where they were picked up by the police. One was driving a truck, the other a Jeepster.

The police checked the two drivers as driving 40 miles per hour and over.

Community News from
VERSAILLES

(MRS. J. W. PADGETT)

Cpl. Milton Arnold of Sherman A. F. B. Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., spent from Thursday until Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Arnold and brother, Dunn Hanks.

Miss Nona Carpenter, Buddy Hineman and Billy Williams all of Missouri university, spent the week-end in Versailles with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Carpenter and daughter, Dorris, Mr. and Mrs. August Hineman and Mrs. Joe Williams and daughter, Martha and Miss Lou Williams.

Mrs. Garland Quinn became critically ill Saturday and was taken to Jefferson City Monday where she entered St. Mary's hospital for surgery. Mr. Quinn is with her at the hospital.

Mrs. Miram McCollister, who fell some time ago and fractured her hip is still in a critical condition at her home. Mrs. McCollister spent several weeks at St. Mary's hospital in Jefferson City but was returned to her home where she is receiving treatments.

Mrs. A. F. Moon is seriously ill at her home on North Monroe street. She is being treated by Dr. A. J. Gunn and Dr. Ruth Kauffman of Versailles.

The Home Makers class of the Baptist church will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Wm. Arnold for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Clyde Moore is president of the class. Their study will be the 23rd and 24th chapters of Matthew.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee T. Simms had as their dinner guest Monday Lt. Col. Bert Smiley of near Stover. Lt. Smiley is leaving soon for Japan where he will be stationed two years. His wife and son will go to be with him in the near future.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve a turkey dinner Wednesday evening at the Civic club rooms beginning at 5:30. Proceeds will go to the church building fund.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Handley spent Saturday in Sedalia on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morrison and daughter, Kathy and Mrs. Gladys Colvin, spent the week-end in independence with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bogue and children, Marilyn and Dicky.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dillon of Kansas City spent Sunday with Mrs. Dillon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Allee.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mrs. Martha Stidham and family in Versailles.

Yvonne Buchanan student nurse at Deaconess hospital in St. Louis spent the week-end in Versailles with her mother, Mrs. Gene Bartman and Mr. Bartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelley and son, Roger Lee, of Boonville, spent the week-end in Versailles with

Waste Oil Burns



Waste oil on a water-filled moat about a Bayonne, N. J., refinery burns, tossing up a heavy, oily, black cloud across the sky. The fire burned out before nearby storage tanks were threatened. (AP Wirephoto)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lees and son, Phillip Wayne and Mrs. Sarah Kelley.

The Home Makers class of the Baptist church served dinner Thursday in the Civic club rooms for the M. F. A. annual banquet of the Cream Station Buyers of Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Leatherman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Padgett had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Bill Padgett and son, Gregory, of Sedalia and Mrs. C. J. Schlesselman of Cole Camp. Mr. O. L. Leatherman has been critically ill at his home the past week from a heart attack.

Mrs. Verna Birdsong of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Newkirk and Mrs. Ella Miller. Miss Maxine Newkirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Newkirk, spent several days last week in Kansas City visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whittle who sold their property last week to Mrs. George Koetting, have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Claude Lutman on South Oak street. Mr. and Mrs. Lutman will move to the Billy Dolstein property temporarily.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Huff and son, Jackie Lee, of Lee's Summit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Huff and family in Versailles.

The auditorium of the new Baptist church will be dedicated Sunday April 2nd. Dinner will be served at the noon hour.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Freeman of

Versailles will be 6:00 o'clock dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook of Tipton. Mrs. Freeman will attend the Victory club. She has been elected as one of the queens. Rev. Freeman visited with the sick and shut-ins. The Freemans are formerly of Tipton.

Tom Harrison of Jefferson City spent several days last week in Versailles with Mrs. Harrison and sons.

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Quarterly Meet
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The Pettis County 4-H Council will hold its quarterly meeting on Tuesday evening, March 28 at 8:00 p. m. The meeting will be held in the Assembly room at the courthouse.

Several events of immediate importance will be presented and discussed. These include making application for 4-H camp trips which are due in the State Club Office by May 1; Planning for the observance of Rural Life Sunday on May 21; 4-H officers training meeting on April 8 and the 4-H Recreation night on April 15.

All 4-H community leaders and junior council members are urged to attend the council meeting as 100 percent participation in these meetings is one good way in which 4-H club work can be strengthened and promoted in the county.

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Bradley vs. Kansas U. in NCAA Playoff

Hundreds of Fans Seek Tickets For Game in K. C.

By Skipper Patrick

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—(P)—The tournament-wise Bradley Braves throw their fast break against the University of Kansas' towering sophomores tonight in hopes of landing the fifth district berth in the Western NCAA basketball playoffs.

The winner gets into the western field with Baylor, U. C. L. A. and Brigham Young for the Friday and Saturday night games in Kansas City.

The game starting at 8 o'clock (CST) is a sellout. Hundreds of anxious customers, bearing "name your price" money, are seeking tickets from the scalpers.

Including standees, the Municipal Auditorium crowd will approximate 10,000.

Bradley, the Nation's No. 1 team in the final Associated Press poll, is favored by 3½ points. That's five fewer than five days ago and a Kansas win isn't beyond reason.

M. V. Champion
Bradley is the Missouri Valley Conference champion. Kansas, Nebraska and Kansas State shared the Big Seven Conference title, but a selection committee picked Kansas to meet Bradley in the district playoff.

Coach Forrest Anderson's Braves, a veteran outfit, lost in the finals of the National Invitational at New York Saturday night, 69-61. They've got 33 games (29-4) behind them this season.

Coach Phog Allen's Kansas Jayhawks, who won only 14 of 24, nevertheless captured 5 of their last 6 Big Seven Conference and their sophomores showed improvement every game.

Allen, after years of campaigning for 12-foot baskets to "give the short players a break," has come up with the tallest team in Big Seven history. The Kansas starters will average 6 feet 4½ inches, almost two more than Bradley.

Kansas will depend heavily on the scoring ability of Clyde Lovellette, 6 foot 8½ inch sophomore, who has rewritten the Big Seven scoring records.

A Top Record
Lovellette's 324 points in 24 games and 277 in 12 league tilts, averages of 21.8 and 23 points respectively, put anything on record for first year performances among major college players.

On the favorite side, Bradley has the advantage of experience and all-around team ability sparked by All America Paul Unruh, 6-4 forward, and guard Gene Melchiorre, the nation's greatest little player at 5-8½.

Bradley never has participated in a Western NCAA playoff.

Allen, who has never gone more than three seasons since 108 without producing either a champion or co-champion, is an old-timer in the west.

Kansas lost the NCAA finals to Indiana in 1940, played at Kansas City. The Jayhawks have been in the western finals twice, lost a play-off for third bid. Allen's men lost the 1936 Olympic western finals to Utah State.

Bobby Locke May Be Reinstated

NORWICH, Conn., March 20.—(P)—Bobby Locke, the husky British Open golf champion from South Africa, has apologized to the Professional Golfers Association (PGA). His action might earn him at least \$25,000 before next January 1.

The indications today are that the PGA will reinstate him by April 15.

The sensational, flamboyant Locke, who climaxed a long feud with American golf officials last July by getting himself the heavenly earned \$24,327 in 1947—his first season in the rich United States, and \$29,010 in 1948.

He was doing all right last year until he decided to pass up several important bookings including the Inverness at Toledo, O., right after winning the British Open. That wasn't cricket, according to the PGA, for he was to have been the big attraction.

The fact that Locke apologized was reported there last night by Joe Donato, a PGA vice-president and Norwich golf club professional.

Donato said he had received a letter from Horton Smith, PGA secretary, which contained the news that Locke had complied with the requirements laid down for reinstatement by the PGA's tournament and executive committees.

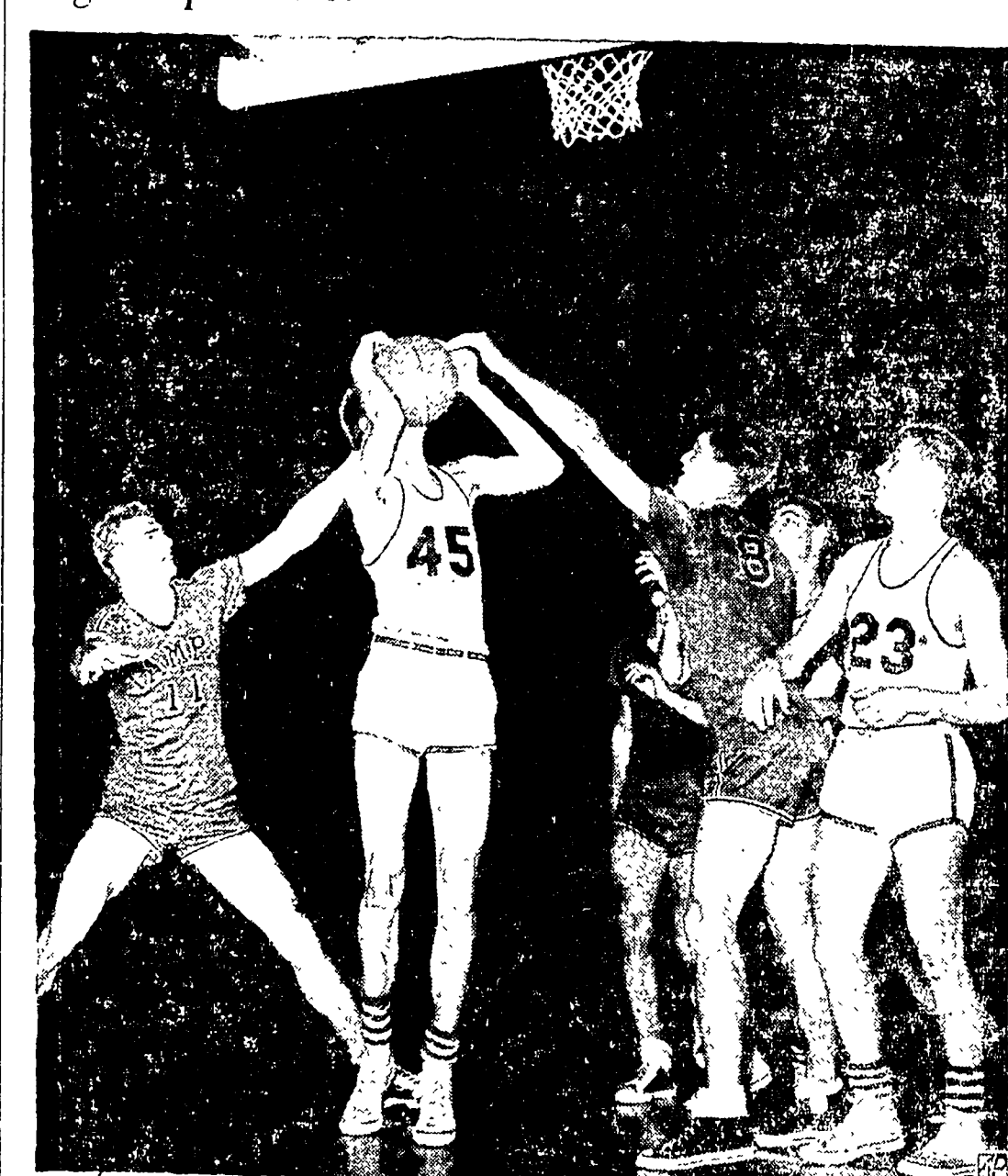
New Head Football Coach at Santa Clara

SANTA CLARA, Calif., March 20.—(P)—Dick Gallagher, end coach and chief scout for the Cleveland Brown professionals, is new head football coach at Santa Clara.

He telephoned his acceptance late yesterday.

Len Casanova, who guided the Broncos to an Orange Bowl victory over Kentucky last season, resigned a month ago to become head coach at Pittsburgh. Gallagher, 41, was given a three-year contract understood to be worth "approximately \$12,000 a year."

Finger Tip Control



Ed Christian (45), of Central College, Fayette, Mo., stops a rebound in his face but fails to gain undisputed possession of the ball in the NAIB basketball tournament game for third place at Kansas City, March 18. Christian touches the ball with his finger tips, as does Mac Williams (8), University of Tampa forward. Other identifiable players are Holland Aplin (11), of Tampa, and Dean Ehlers (23) of Central. Central won, 80 to 67. (Associated Press Photo)

NAIB Drew a Record Crowd Of 58,240

Gross Gate Down From a Year Ago

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—(P)—Indiana State, twice denied a title after reaching the finals of the National Intercollegiate Basketball (NIAB) tournament, finally carried home the championship.

The Indians beat East Central (Ada) Oklahoma State, 61-57, in finals of the 12th annual tournament here Saturday night.

Little Central College of Fayette, Mo., surprise quintet of the 32-team, 6-day meet, won third place by beating University of Tampa's all sophomore-freshman outfit, 80-67.

Experience paid off for the Indians who lost in the 1946 finals to Southern Illinois and again in 1948 to University of Louisville. 9 seniors.

Indiana State's ten-man roster included nine seniors and one sophomore.

The tournament drew a record crowd of 58,240 for the 32 games. Last year 55,240 paid at the gate. The gross gate was down from a year ago, \$73,500 compared to \$73,156, mainly because the cheaper seats were more popular.

Lenny Rzeszewski of Indiana State was voted the tournament's most valued player.

He shared first team all-tournament berths with Mitch Cochran, Central Missouri; Claudell Overton, East Central Oklahoma; Mac Williams, Tampa, and Stacey Howell, Indiana star of East Central Oklahoma.

On the second team were Don McDonald, Indiana State; Hal Haskins, Hamline; Joe Pukach, Davis and Elkins; Dean Ehlers, Central Missouri, and Dan Dimich, Indiana State.

Coach Bob Vanatta's Central Eagles, who came to the tournament with a 26-3 record, easily enough could have been in the finals. The N.C.A.U. champion lost its semi-final game Friday to East Central Oklahoma by blowing a lead in the last minute of play.

Good Performance

The Eagles won the hearts of the 9,700 fans in the finals, however, by putting on its best performance to beat the long shooting Tampa Spartans. There was no half-hearted performance as

Jack Burke Leads Golf Tournament

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 20.—(P)—Jack Burke, still unspooled by fame, got out front in the Jacksonville golf open on two straight rounds of 67—five under par.

Though he's under 27 years old, Burke is proving on the winter tour he is a great campaigner and he will be hard to beat out for the top \$2,000 in today's final round. Burke has 207 after 54 holes, coming back from a shaky opening 73 on the 6,508-yard Hyde Park course.

Burke may have the most trouble holding off two hotshots of the game, National Open Champion Cary Middlecoff and PGA champ Sam Snead. They reached 210 each.

All Besselink, 25-year old Detroit pro, hung right in there with 208 on his third round 71. Ed Furgol of Royal Oak, Mich., came into the scene with 67 for 209.

Tied with Snead and Middlecoff at 210 were veterans George Fazio of Washington, D. C., Henry Ransom of St. Andrew, Ill., and Skip Alexander of Knoxville, Tenn.

AAU Committee Picks Tennis Champ

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—(P)—The Missouri Valley A. A. U. registration committee has declared Mrs. Lucille Land Davidson, the 1949 National Public Courts tennis champion, a professional.

Mrs. Davidson, current number 1 in the Missouri Valley, lives at Lee's Summit, Mo.

Theo R. Bland, committee member from Kansas City, said Mrs. Davidson had lost her amateur standing because of her physical education work at the Raytown, Mo., high school. Mrs. Davidson said she held a contract as a classroom instructor with the school.

Sunday's U. S. Hockey League Results

By The Associated Press
Louisville 8, Minneapolis 8 (tie).
Kansas City 10, St. Paul 4.
(Regular season play ended Sunday).

Sometimes comes up in consolation games.

Cochran and Ehlers led the Eagles hot-shot attack that had the Missourians ahead, 46-33 at the half. Cochran, high scorer of the tournament with 91 points got 29 points, Ehlers 15.

Eight of ten Central players scored as all of Vanatta's players came through with nice performances.

22nd Annual Women's Cage Tournament

First Round Play Will be Completed Today

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 20.—(P)—The three top-seeded teams easily brushed aside first-round opponents in the 22nd annual women's national A.A.U. basketball tournament yesterday.

First-round play will be completed today and tonight.

Twelve games are scheduled. Most important of the eight championship bracket games will involve fourth-seeded A.F.B. of Des Moines, Ia., against St. James Center of Kansas City tonight.

In yesterday's nine-game opening program, the defending champion Goldblumes of Nashville, Tenn., won over Reynolds of Tulsa, Okla., 52-23.

Seeded No. 2

Nashville Business College, seeded No. 2, defeated Topeka, Kas., Santa Fe 66-11, and Hanes Roversy of Winston-Salem, N.C., the No. 3 outfit, dropped Soitons of Omaha, Neb., 17-9.

Other Sunday results included: Mesquite, Tex., high school 19, St. Francis, St. Joseph, Mo., 12, Gasoline Alley, Marshalltown, Ia., 36, Harvill-Byrd, Little Rock, Ark., 17.

Goetz, St. Joseph, Mo., 39, Kiowa, Kas., 15.

Today's Pairings Include:

First round consolation bracket:

8 a.m.—St. Francis of St. Jo-

seph, Mo., vs. Harvill-Byrd, Little Rock.

9:10 a.m.—Iowa Success School, Ottumwa, vs. Dona, Kansas City, Kas.

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4:30 p.m.—Cardinals, Okmulgee, Okla., vs. Bucklin, Mo.

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Second Night Of National AAU Tourney

So Far The Spotlight is on George King

DENVER, March 20.—(P)—George King, the nation's top college scorer, and other collegians held the national AAU basketball spotlight today, but their fling probably will be brief.

If past AAU performances hold true, the college-bolstered teams will begin falling before the seasoned favorites who go into action tonight, second night of the meet.

King flipped in 14 points last night with the Dayton, Ohio, all stars as they routed the Kokomo, Ind., all stars 99-53. But the Morris Harvey College star didn't look any better than several Dayton team mates—Bob Dineen, Wilbur Woods, Bob Anderson, Ken Watson and Billy McNay. Their brilliant offensive display against a good Indiana five tabbed the Dayton team as one of the tourney's dark horses.

Top Scoring Mark

King in the past collegiate season rang up 967 points with the Charleston, W. Va., school for an average of 31.19 tallies per game. Both figures set new national single season scoring marks for college players.

Most of the 10 games yesterday and the 11 contests today matched college teams playing under their own name or under the banner of an AAU club.

Seeded teams make their first appearance tonight. Second seeded Bartlesville, Okla., Phillips 66 Oilers play the Cedar Falls, Iowa, Amvets. Third seeded Denver Chevrolet men St. Louis Shearer Motors.

Today's Pairings Include

Portland, Ore., (Bradford Clothing) vs. Hesston, Kas. (King Motors) (12:30 p.m., CST).

Warrensburg, Mo., (Riggles Plaza Bowl) vs. Sioux City, Ia., (Jameco) (2 p.m., CST).

Billings, Mont., Stockmen vs. Oklahoma Baptist U., Shawnee (2 p.m., CST).

Arkansas State Techs. Conway vs. Hastings, Nebr., College (5 p.m., CST).

Pro Basketball At A Glance

By The Associated Press

National Association

Sunday night's results:

Waterloo 78, Tri-City 77.

Reister 97, Burlington 66.

St. Wayne 69, Minneapolis 67.

Chicago 80, St. Louis 64.

Seaside 72, Anderson 67.

American League (Afternoon)

Scouten 60, Wilkes-Barre 50 (Scouten leads best-of-three series, 1-0).

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Boston (A) 10, New York (A) 7.

Cleveland vs. Oakland, rain (morning).

St. Louis "B" (N) 6, New York "B" (A) 3.

Philadelphia (A) 8, Brooklyn 2.

Baltimore (IL) 7, Philadelphia "B" (A) 4.

Detroit (A) 4, Washington 1.

Philadelphia (N) 3, Boston (N) 2.

St. Louis (N) 4, Cincinnati 2.

San Francisco (PCL) 3, Cleveland 0 (afternoon).

Hollywood (PCL) 12, Chicago (A) 2.

St. Louis (A) 10, New York (N) 8 (10 innings).

Sacramento (PCL) 7, St. Louis "B" (A) 3.

Pittsburgh (N) 7, Chicago (N) 2.

Today's Games

Washington vs. Boston (A) at Sarasota, Fla.

Chicago (A) vs. San Francisco (PCL) at San Francisco.

Cleveland vs. Los Angeles (PCL) at Fullerton, Calif.

New York (A) vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla.

Memphis (SA) vs. Philadelphia (A) at West Palm Beach, Fla.

Hollywood (PCL) vs. St. Louis (A) at Burbank, Calif.

Cincinnati vs. Boston (N) at Bradenton, Fla.

Chicago (N) vs. Oakland (PCL) at Oakland, Calif.

New York (N) vs. Cincinnati (N) at Tampa, Fla.

New York (N) vs. Pittsburgh at San Bernardino, Calif.

Philadelphia (N) vs. St. Louis (N) at St. Petersburg, Fla.

New York "B" (N) vs. University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

Shows Good Hustle

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20.—(P)—Manager Leo Durocher is eyeing the veteran Nap Reyes for possible infield utility duty with the New York Giants.

The hustling Cuban, who once understudied Bill Terry at first base, is showing the kind of hustle Leo likes. Jack Harshman is in line for the regular first base post but Reyes is looking handy around the bag.

To Undergo an X-ray

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 20.—(P)—Mal Malette, the Brooklyn Dodgers' big rookie southpaw from the west coast, will undergo an x-ray examination of his ailing shoulder tomorrow at Vero Beach.

Malette, picked up in the draft after getting rave notices from

Hollywood manager Fred Haney

complained of a sore shoulder yesterday. Manager Burt Shotton ordered it to be looked into immediately.

Pitcher Tries For Comeback

SAN BERNARDINO, California, March 20.—(P)—Pitcher Hal Gregg trying for a comeback with the Pittsburgh Pirates, is the delight of Manager Billy Meyer today.

Gregg accomplished a great deal in his comeback effort as he turned in a sparkling performance while the Bucs were beating the Chicago Cubs 7-2 at Los Angeles yesterday. He worked five and two-thirds innings, giving up only four hits, walking three and fanning five.

Hopes to Obtain Pitcher

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—(P)—General manager Frank Lane of the Chicago White Sox is still hopeful of obtaining first baseman Mickey Vernon from Cleveland.

At one time, Lane nearly closed the deal after the Indians' Hank Greenberg had declared Luke Easter, the giant Negro, as the Tribe's first baseman of his choice. But Manager Lou Boudreau said "Let's wait and see about Easter." The Vernon transaction then fell through.

The Sox have three first basemen on the roster — Charley Kross, Herm Reich and Gordon Goldsberry — but not one of them has displayed the hitting and fielding steadiness desired.

Red Sox Entertain Nats

SARASOTA, Fla., March 20.—(P)—The Boston Red Sox, winners in six of eight Grapefruit league starts, entertain the Washington Senators today at Payne field. Rookies Jim Suchecka and Jim McDonald are down to face the Nats. The Sox split a week-end series with the New York Yankees, losing 15-9 Saturday and winning 10-7 yesterday.

Hurled Hitless Ball

FULLERTON, Calif., March 20.—(P)—If it's any consolation to

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

Sedalia, Mo., Monday, March 20, 1950

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Cleveland's Indians, pitcher Bob Lemon looked wonderful yesterday. He hurled hitless ball for five innings and gave up only two walks.

As for the rest of the tumble-footed Tribesmen in on the 5-0 pasting handed out by the San Francisco Seals, that's another story. They committed eight errors during the nine-inning exhibition at San Francisco, handing the Seals four unearned runs as a gift.

4 Homers for Browns

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20.—(P)—The St. Louis Browns made four errors against the New York Giants yesterday, but they also hit four home runs to win a 10-inning game, 10-7.

Sherman Lollar greeted Giant pitcher Kirby Higbe with a homer in the tenth. The other home runs were by Dick Kokos, Chuck Grant and Kenny Wood.

Cards Win 4-2

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. March 20.—(P)—Howard Pollet, who was a long time in coming to contract terms with the St. Louis Cardinals, made his first start in a game yesterday against Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla. He was touched for the only Cincinnati runs.

The Cards won 4-2.

Red Munger, also making his first start for the Cardinals, retired nine of the ten men he faced. Ken Johnson gave up four hits in his four-inning stint.

Democrat-Capital want ads accepted Monday for publication in the Democrat that day and Capital following morning. Sunday Democrat-Capital want ads accepted until 5:00 p. m. Saturday afternoon preceding.
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PHONE 1000
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I—Announcements

2—Cards of Thanks

GAY: JOHN T. SR.—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, those who sent cards and flowers, the pallbearers, the ministers of the various churches, the Alexander Funeral home, also Dr. Maddox, for their kind attention and expressions of sympathy shown us during the illness and passing of our dear father and father-in-law.
Mrs. Carrie Mae Gay, daughter-in-law.
Mr. and Mrs. John T. Gay, Jr., son and daughter-in-law.

3—In Memoriam

IN MEMORIAM: Flowers—Your tribute in the family's hour of sorrow. Pfeiffer's.

6—Monuments, Cemetery Lots

YOUR FAMILY MONUMENT is bought once and lasts forever. Be wise, choose Heynen Monuments, 301 East 3rd.

7—Personals

BABY SHOES bronzed. All models. Phone 1679.

WATKINS PRODUCTS: 814 West 16th. Phone 1011. Powell Cain, dealer.

RAWLEIGH PRODUCTS: Free delivery. 802 East 9th. Phone 1613-W.

HOW efficient can a rug cleaner be? Try odorless Fina Foam and see Reed's Drug.

ELIMINATE LINOLEUM waxing. Plastic type Glaxo makes smooth non-skid surface. Dugans.

HARPER'S SCHOOL of Artistic Dancing. New classes start April 15th. No enrollment fee. Phone 4903.

MORNING, EVENING AND SUNDAY PAPERS. Also complete line of magazines. Scotten Book Store, 712 South Ohio.

DON'T UNDERESTIMATE the Croysey car. Come out and drive one. See for yourself. Low Motor Company, 10th Street at 65 Highway.

KANSAS CITY STAR AND TIMES: Morning, evening and Sunday (132 issues per week, 35¢ a week; 13.52 months. Phone Kansas City Star 292 Sedalia.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

STRAYED: Black and white pointer. Owner's name and address on collar. Please call 2621.

STRAYED: Jersey cow, black, sales tag number 873 attached. Tuesday, March 14th. Russell Shoemaker, Route 2, Sedalia.

SIDE WALL to Chapel tent last Wednesday, March 15th, vicinity Knob Noster and Cole Camp, Mo. Reward. Kidwell Funeral Home, Versailles, Missouri.

LOST about a month ago: Leather coin purse containing lady's gold pocket watch. Black silk chain attached. A liberal reward. Contact Miss Catherine Fleming, Route 4, North 65 Sedalia.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

OR TRADE: 1947 Studebaker for older car. 1307 East 4th.

1949 FORD Custom—like new. \$1475. Janssen's Motor.

1949 FORD SEDAN—English, like new. \$750. Phone 4821.

1947 CHEVROLET Fleetmaster, good. \$1175. Janssen's Motor.

1940 FORD—Deluxe Tudor, radio, heater, new tires. \$995. Call 4821.

1936 PLYMOUTH Coupe. Runs good. 302 East 7th. Phone 4192-J.

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap. Decker Used Cars. 15th and Ohio.

1948 KAISER excellent condition. \$795. Trade, terms. Janssen's Motor.

1938 CHEVROLET Coach. 1939 Plymouth Coupe. 634 East Broadway. 3700.

MODEL "A" FORD. Good condition. Have owned it entire life. 1100 East 24th. Phone 2409-W.

ROUTZONG MOTOR COMPANY for better used cars at lower prices. 225 South Kentucky. Phone 397.

1948 CHEVROLET Sportmaster Sedan.

1948 PLYMOUTH Special Deluxe Tudor.

1947 CHEVROLET Fleetmaster Sedan

1946 CHEVROLET 3 Passenger Coupe.

1946 FORD Super Deluxe Tudor

1941 CHEVROLET TUDOR

For Clean Used Cars See SULLIVAN MOTOR CO.

216 So. Missouri Phone 4303

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III—Business Services

12—Automobiles for Sale

1941 CHEVROLET Sedan Delivery. Bargain at \$325. Lewis Motor Company, 10th Street at 65 Highway.

1948 CROSLLEY Station Wagon. Come out and drive this one. Guaranteed. Lewis Motor Company, 10th Street at 65 Highway.

11A—House Trailers for Sale

HOUSE TRAILERS: New and used. Easy terms. Liberal trade-ins. Also rentals. White Spot Tourist Camp, 1/2 mile West 50 Highway.

13—Auto Accessories

SEVERAL good used tires, size 5.25x18. 1702 West Broadway.

3 COMMERCIAL WHEELS and tires, 16 inch for Ford Pickup. Reasonable. 1833 South Warren.

14A—Garages

MAGNETO REPAIRING. Latest modern equipment Satisfaction guaranteed. Dewey and Keith's Auto Service, 1603 South Ingram Phone 4713.

HARMS GARAGE and welding. Batteries charged and oil changed. Located one mile north Cole Camp Junction, one Friday and Saturday after 4 p. m. during week.

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

MOTOR BIKE: Good. 1935 Ford coupe. Phone 4290. Nights 1233-W.

MOTORCYCLES new and used. Accessories and oil. R. R. Markless, 8 miles South 65 Highway.

17—Wanted—Automotive

WANTED AUTOMOBILES, trucks, pickups. Janssen's Motors, 540 East 3rd.

III—Business Services

18—Business Services Offered

PUMP REPAIR SERVICE: 4450. O. J. Monsees, 312 East 16th.

ZAHRRINGER REFRIGERATION service. Phone 4126 or 3937.

RADIO REPAIRING: Carl Goist, 210 South Lamine. Phone 4673.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio 3937.

SEWING MACHINE repairing. Electricity all makes. 117 West 2nd. 405.

RADIO REPAIRING: Hook's Radio Service. 310 West 2nd. Phone 113.

PEABODY RADIO Service: 25 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

SEWERS UNSTOPPED: Toilets, cess pools, wells and basements cleaned. 2720.

FOR HOOVER SWEEPER parts and repairs Phone 8. McLaughlin Brothers.

OUR 20TH ANNIVERSARY: Ideal Printing Company, 411 Wilkerson at Montauk.

VIRGINIA DETECTIVE Agency Inc. All types investigations Representatives Phone 1694.

UPHOLSTERING, SLIPCOVERING: John Miller Upholstering Shop, 613 South Engineer. 2295.

HUNNIUS UPHOLSTERING Custom upholstery and restyling. 608 South Kentucky. Phone 3394.

GUNS REPAIRED: Guns for sale. Antiques bought. Middleton Gun Shop, 321 East Main Street Phone 3481.

WASHER SERVICE: Winger rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup, deliver. Burkholder's, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

SEWING MACHINE SERVICE: Repair all makes and models. All work guaranteed. 1244 South Osage. Phone 3670-J. Firsick.

ELECTRIC MOTORS, REPAIR—ED, rebuilt. All work guaranteed. Cole's Electric Motor Service, 420 South Osage. Phone 410.

WASHERS, RADIOS, Vacuum sweepers, repaired. All makes. Sales and Service. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

MACHINE WORK: Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Mo. Homer Hall 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766.

HEARING AIDS: Fresh batteries, expert service. We will loan you an instrument while yours is being repaired. Free demonstration at the new Belton Melody Monopac in your home. O. E. Reynolds, 108 West 5th. Phone 968.

CUSTOM DIGGING for water, gas lines, sewers, ditches and foundations. Harkless and Swope, 8 miles South of Sedalia on 65 Highway. Phone 5257-M-4.

RUSCO All Metal

Combination storm windows and screens. 107% down installs. Dean S. Binderup. Phone 3696 evenings.

WATCH REPAIR

Clock and Jewelry
G. W. CHAMBERS
ILGENFRITZ BUILDING-
ROOM 227

18-B—For Rent

FLOOR SANDER and polisher for rent. Cook's Paint. Phone 108.

FLOOR SANDER and edger. Moderate rates, Phone 3800, Montgomery Ward.

NEW FLOOR SANDERS, electric floor polishers. Caulking guns. Dugan's, Phone 142.

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NEW LOCKERS
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Hours 6 a.m. - 10 p.m. every day.
SEDALIA ICE AND COLD STORAGE CO.

19—Building and Contracting

CARPENTER WORK, brick and chimney repairs. Cement work and painting. J. M. Holloway, 901 South Montauk. Phone 3680.

IV—Employment

22—Help Wanted—Female

RESTAURANT COOK, pie maker, 8 hours except Sunday. Reed Drug Company.

WHITE LADY wanted for cleaning. Write and give price. Democrat Box "H".

WAITRESS WANTED: Saturday and Sunday nights, 30 to 40 years old preferred. Phone 5665-J after 5 p. m.

SALES CLERK wanted. Experienced. Variety or 10c store. 118 West Main or call 1390 for appointment.

AMAZING! \$50 is yours for selling 100 boxes greeting cards at 51. Stationery or napkins with name on. Send for samples on approval. Agent, 370 Plum Street, Department 397, Newark, New Jersey.

Housekeeper Wanted White.

Country Home, Modern Conveniences. Call or write.

Richard Shelton Farm

Hughesville, Missouri

Phone Hughesville 14-F-11

III—Business Services

19—Building and Contracting

FOR CONCRETE WORK: P. M. Crafton, 1806 South Missouri. 2937.

CARPENTER WORK, roof repair, cement work. Phone 4245-M or 1409-R.

CARPENTER, PAINTING, REPAIR work. wanted. Guy

brownfield. Phone 2228.

MODERNIZE YOUR KITCHEN with our built-in cabinets. Free estimates. Free designing. Homecraft Cabinet Works. Phone 54.

21—Dressmaking and Millinery

SEWING WANTED: 537 East 4th Phone 1938.

22—Heating, Plumbing, Roofing
PLUMBING and heating. New or repair work. Contract or by the hour. Boehm Plumbing Company. Phone 654.

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

M. F. A. INSURANCE. Agent Robinson, M. F. A. Exchange. Phone 709.

M. F. A. MUTUAL INSURANCE. Roy Gerster, 107 East 2nd. Phone 337.

24—Laundering

IRONINGS WANTED: 12c pound. Call 5491.

WASHINGS, 2003 West Broadway. Phone 2543.

RUTH ANN'S LAUNDERETTE 715 West 16th Phone 3257.

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SEDALIA MOVING and Transfer Phone 10. Free estimates. all jobs.

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26—Painting Decorating
PAPER HANGING wanted. Phone 3484-R.

PAPER HANGING wanted. Call Lemons 4111.

PAINTING, repair and odd jobs. Phone 3360-W-1.

RELIABLE WALLPAPERING and painting. Phone 425.

HANGING AND CLEANING paper also painting Phone 722.

WALLPAPER CLEANING and painting. C. L. Vansell. Phone 1702-J.

WALL PAPER CLEANING. Painting interior, exterior. All jobs bonded. All work guaranteed. L. Randall, Phone 2583.

26A—Painting—Decorating
PAINTING: Interior and exterior. Call 1879-J for free estimates. Prices reasonable.

27—Repairs and Refinishing
FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W.

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starkey. Phone 2853-J.

30—Tailoring and Pressing
SEE HOLST—THE TAILOR for fine made to measure suits, alterations and remodeling. Ladies' and men's clothes. 208 1/2 South Lamine Street, upstairs.

TAILORING, Alterations: Quality workmanship. Ladies', men's. John Theis, 218 Lamine.

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V—Live Stock

32—Help Wanted—Female

(Continued)

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Salaries compare favorably or are better than prevailing wages paid for comparable work in Sedalia.

If you feel you are qualified and if you are interested please apply in person to Mr. Daugherty.

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33—Help Wanted—Male

MAN TO take care of garden, experienced. Phone 2873.

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MARRIED MAN for farm work. House, garden and cow furnished. Steady work. Clyde Reimer, Green Ridge, 5210-J-1 Sedalia.

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V—Financial

38—Business Opportunities

A-1 MAJOR OIL Service Station for lease, doing excellent business. Write Box "387" care Democrat.

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages
FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4%. No commission. W. D. Smith.

VII—Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

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48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

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2 JERSEYS and calves, real butter cows. 1702 West



Mrs. Yvette Madsen is led downstairs from Frankfurt, Germany, courtroom by her attorney, Elmo Gower, after being sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for the murder of her air force husband, Lt. Andrew E. Madsen. The three-man American occupation court found the 22-year-old Brooklyn-born mother of two "guilty as charged" of the shooting of her husband after a gay party last October 20. (AP Wirephoto)

Riding High



Rev. W. H. Alexander, candidate for the Oklahoma Republican nomination for U. S. Senate, hitches a ride at Hugo, Okla., on an elephant—his party's traditional symbol. He rode the lumbering beast in a parade opening Hugo's annual circus round-up honoring 400 circus folks from eight shows which have winter headquarters there. (AP WIREPHOTO)

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Boys Lead Cops to Slayer



A cave-dwelling slayer who had eluded police for three years was arrested at St. Paul, Minn., on a tip from these boys, James Lewis (left) and James Radek. They had seen a picture of the fugitive, William Nesbitt, in a newspaper. Nesbitt had been convicted of murdering Floyd H. Parker, Los Angeles, in 1936. He escaped from the South Dakota prison in 1946. (AP Wirephoto)

Hold Woman Who Had Missing Children
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 20.—(AP)—A 23-year-old woman who, police said, had two missing children in her room, is being held here on a child-entice-ment charge. A baby-sitter caring for the two children, a girl, 6, and a boy, 4, reported the pair missing after she placed them in bed and had returned to her own apartment momentarily. Police said the found the children in a bed in the room of Nina Oder. The Oder woman was unable to give a reason for removing the children, they said.

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Mrs. Ray Meyer
The Sweet Springs Chapter of F.H.A. held their regular meeting March 2. The Freshman girls gave a style review. The annual style show will be held April 6.
The Thimble Bu Club celebrated the 37th anniversary recently. The charter members were entertained by the other members of the club at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Fischer. Charter members still belonging to the club are: Mrs. John Hoffman, Mrs. Henry Fischer, Mrs. William Gehlken, Mrs. John Pope and Mrs. G. W. Weber. The club was organized on March 7, 1913, in the home of Mrs. John Pope, where a number of friends had gathered to celebrate Mrs. Pope's birthday.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Dohrman returned Wednesday from a trip of three months through Arizona, Texas and Oklahoma.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. O'Neal attended the Y.F.A. banquet at the Marshall high school recently.
Mrs. Keith Tolson and sons returned recently from a trip to points in Kansas and Oklahoma. Mrs. Tolson made the trip with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Zinn. On the return trip, Mr. Tolson met her at Salina, Kas., and they returned together.
On Thursday evening the W. O.C. of the Presbyterian church met at the apartment of Mrs. W. S. Hanley for a pot luck supper. The Men's Fellowship Club of the Presbyterian church met for supper at the church Thursday night. Sixteen members were present.
The W.M.U. of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Glenn Widder on Thursday evening. A contributed supper was served. The Rev. C. A. McClure gave an interesting talk.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans observed their 60th wedding anniversary with a family dinner at their home Sunday. Their children and a few relatives were present. Those attending were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Long and sons, Dick and John of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Evans and daughter, Roberta and Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Margaret McConerghy, Mrs. Rosa Lynch and daughter, Miss Marjorie Lynch and Rosalie Finley.
The Priscilla Guild met Friday

evening in the Lutheran church basement. During the election of officers, Mrs. Merle Kuecker was elected president; Mrs. Elmer L. Eckhoff, vice president; Mrs. Elfred Becker, treasurer, and Mrs. Lester Vogelsong, secretary.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartman celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday. Seven children, eight grandchildren and one great grandson were present. Fred Kothe, one of the attendants at the wedding 50 years ago, was also present. Many attended the reception.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dillion

and Shirley and Mary were supper guests Saturday night in the Ray Dillion's home in Green Ridge.
Mrs. George Henley and Mary Joe spent the week-end in Kansas City with Mr. Henley, who is in the hospital.
Fred Luetj and James and Robert spent the week-end in Kansas City with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Luetj and Carol.
Miss Jane Dillon returned home Saturday, after spending a week with Mrs. M. C. Hackler, who is in the hospital at Marshall.
Mr. and Mrs. James Sewell and

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sewell of Kansas City spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ora Beck and family.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grace and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Beck and Floyd spent Sunday in Warsaw with Mr. Grace's mother and brother.
Tracy Haggard of Marshall

spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Gracie Noel and mother.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hemme and baby and Helen Shay were in Marshall Saturday.
Mary Sue Lockney of Houston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Beck and babies.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hearn and

Family of Kansas City spent Sunday with his mother.
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pointer, David and J. W. and Clyde Borchers, all of Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Young and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn spent Monday in Excelsior Springs, where Mr. Hearn will get a check-up at the hospital there.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sinder and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and son, Linder, went to Marshall Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. Linder and son visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shady Nightwine and Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman and son visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Donnelly.
Mrs. C. R. Parsons and daughter, Carolyn of Warrensburg were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Killian and family.
Mrs. Nannie Payne and daughter, Miss Sarah and son, Ernest and Mrs. R. S. Glick of Stockholm, N. D. spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Menegali.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Denny of Richmond and Mrs. Denny's mother, Mrs. J. E. Berry, who has been visiting in the Denny home, spent Saturday here with Mrs. Berry's sister, Mrs. W. S. Hanley and Mr. Hanley and her brother, C. B. Ray and Mrs. Ray.
Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Parsons returned home Friday, after

spending a month's vacation in Texas and Mexico.
Mrs. Paul Wythe spent Saturday in Kansas City.
Mr. and Mrs. Clay Parsons of St. Louis were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Parsons and her father, Edgar Daniel.
Mrs. John Truce and children of Nelson spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Scott.
Mrs. Al Dierking entertained with a birthday party for her son, Dennis Ray, who was a year old, March 5. Those present were: Joyce Elaine and Brenda Kay Meyer, Mrs. Ray Meyer, Mrs. Henry Dieking, Mrs. Jack Krause, Mrs. Hazel Buie and children, Betty, Sue and Gene, Mrs. Edna Nelson and children, Eddy, Phillip, and "Butch," Mrs. Arthur Krause and children, Margie, Maurice D., Mary, Donna Kay, Carolyn and Robert, Mrs. Jr.

Krause and children, Sandra and Paul. Games were played and gifts were opened. Refreshments were served.
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